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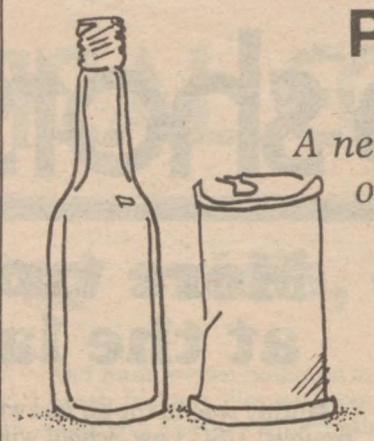

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Roots: When the Democrats were King

by John Norton

In his heyday, during the forties and fifties, my grandfather was a minor political power down in Marion County, S.C., legendary home of Francis Marion and Ralph Gasque. "Pop" was a member of that now-nearly vanished breed of individual known, in my family at least, as the double-dipped, dyed-in-the-wool Southern Democrat. "That man," my mother (who secretly voted for Eisenhower twice) used to say, "would vote for a jackass if they ran one on the Democratic ticket." He would have, too. As would have thousands of other Southerners, some of whom were, if anything, even more rabid in their loyalty to the Party than grandaddy was. To them the words 'loyalty' and 'Party' were synonymous. In any listing of groups and individuals they despised, you can be sure that Republicans would precede communists or atheists or the NAACP -- and many of them would explain to you at great length how Republicans were **responsible** for communists, atheists, the NAACP, integration, the demise of the common man, the rise of corporate totalitarianism, death, taxes, and an infinite number of other unpleasantries and indiscretions, large or small.

A personal story concerning my grandfather provides an example of this unbending loyalty in one of its milder forms. As I mentioned before, in his prime Pop was something of a political power in Marion County. He and Ralph never got along and as he grew older, Gasque waxed and he waned. But he served a term or two in the state legislature and represented the county on the state Democratic executive committee, and even in his latter days he was a fiercely partisan member of the Party, somehow able to rationalize the New Frontier, and the Great Society and the Civil Rights Act -- all of which ran contrary to his upbringing and philosophy. On the other hand, I--with all the political insight and wisdom a 14-year old Southerner in 1964 could be expected to possess--had determined Barry Goldwater was the Last Best Hope for Mankind. Somehow I managed to get myself elected vice-chairman of the Horry County Teen-age Republicans. My grandfather was in the midst of his last illness at the time and was bedridden with a serious heart condition. The family went to great extremes to keep from him his eldest grandson's infamous betrayal of both Party and family.

One afternoon, not too many weeks before the '64 general elections, TARs from all over the Pee Dee gathered in convention to hoot and holler for AuH2o. The nose-for-news television reporters at WBTW in Florence spotted our rally for the hot news item that it was and dropped by to record sixty seconds of adolescent Republican babble for posterity. I was fortunate enough to be at the podium when the film began to roll and was well into a powerful if somewhat naive attack on the intransigence of thick-headed Southern Democrats who were too ignorant to perceive which party could best serve their interests and the interest of this great nation of ours, etc., etc. When I arrived at home some hours later, I fully expected to receive the approbation of my family and friends. Instead I was charged with attempted grand-patricide.

Before the rift: Edgar Brown, James Byrnes, Strom Thurmond and George Bell Timmerman (left to right) shown in 1951 photo.

My grandfather, I learned, had been lying in bed watching the evening news on his favorite station, WBTW in Florence, when the announcer began to report on the meeting of teenage Republicans. Pop had diverted his attention for a moment to add another link to the chain of Camel cigarettes he'd been smoking for forty years. My grandmother, however, immediately recognized her treacherous grandson and made a frantic dive for the channel selector, muttering something about her desperate need to watch Dialing for Dollars or the Beverly Hillbillies or

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cheap shots

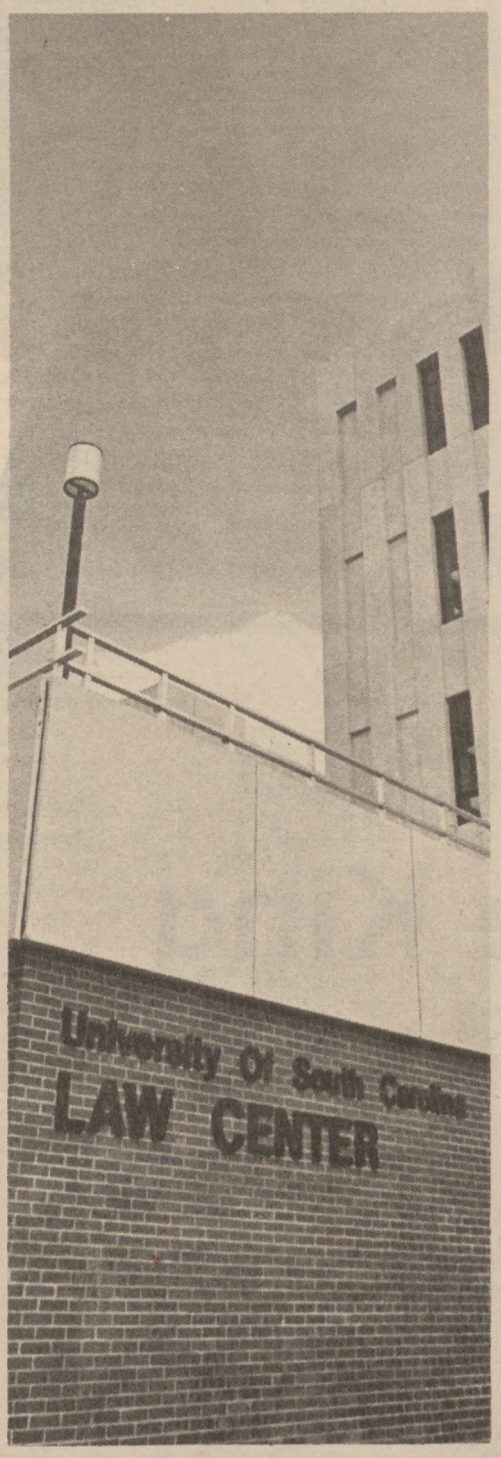
Chip to D.C.

So Chip Carter has made it up to Washington to live with father "Jimmy" in the White House despite his adamant protests before last November's election against such a move.

Chip told Osceola (Oct. 8, 1976) that "I just want to go home after the election to live in my mobile home in Plains--the second one down from the post office--and farm peanuts." Apparently Chip was so opposed to the idea, at the time, that he was heard to make the same statement at least three times during his brief visit to Columbia last October.

Recent press reports, however, inform us that Chip has had a change of heart regarding his desire to work for peanuts. He and his wife, Caron, have decided that Washington has more of an attraction than Chip at one time was willing to admit and they have taken up living quarters on the rarely seen third floor of the White House, along with brother Jeff and his wife Annette. Chip has also taken on a part-time job with the Democratic National Committee's special projects division to raise money for them--a job that will pay him some $8,000 yearly. A spokesman for the Carter family, Ann Anderson, told reporters that with the part-time job and room and board at the White House Chip and Caron would be OK. We hope so.

At any rate, we all talk from both sides of our mouths from time to time and what 26-year-old wouldn't want the thrill of living in the White House with the President and the First Lady. Perhaps part of the problem is that Chip lost his bid for election to Plains City Council some months ago and figures that he may as well make some inroads in Washington while his political career in Plains is waning. Remember, though, that father "Jimmy" once told us that if he ever told us a lie not to vote for him. Let's just hope that Chip doesn't make the same mistake.



More troubles at the law school

Mutiny was in the air last week at the troubled USC Law School with reports that nearly a third of the faculty might be resigning. Sources close to the situation told Osceola that as many as 11 of the 37 fulltime positions at the school could be empty either immediately or following ordinary leaves of absence this year or next. Two positions are already vacant.

Principally at issue is the question of salaries: the complaining professors point out that faculty pay at the school runs 25 to 30 percent lower than the average for other law schools in the country. Our sources tell us that new professors are attracted to the school with competitive salaries and are then given low yearly raises, three or four percent as opposed to the national average of 10 to 15 percent, so that at the end of several years they are likely to be making less money than new, inexperienced professors just off the market.

In addition to the money issue, there is some disatisfaction with the way in chich a new dean is being selected for the school. At least one professor has resigned or will be resigning shortly over this issue. Acting Dean Harry J. Haynsworth said that he is "one of about six people" who are presently being considered for the job. Applicants are being screened by both members of the faculty and a special committee set up to locate prospects for the job. At the head of the committee is U.S. Circuit Court Judge Donald Russell, whose colleague on the bench is Chief Judge Clement Haynesworth, first cousin to Harry J. Haynsworth. The final selection from the names submitted will be made by University President William Petterson or his successor.

We asked Acting Dean Haynsworth about the controversy, and his answer was predictably soothing. According to Haynsworth, he has received "some resignations" and knew of others who were seriously thinking of leaving, but the situation was "a problem that almost every state law school has." He said that the uncertainty over the new dean and the choice for president of the University itself were what made the South Carolina situation special. When we suggested that as many as 11 teachers could be going, he said, "If you are talking about people who are actually looking for permanent positions elsewhere, I think that is a greatly exaggerated number." He admitted that several professors would be on leave or are currently on leave, but contended, "those are not resignations, obviously. People who are away on leave you are expecting to come back." (Our sources tell us that other than outright resignations -- estimated at three -- that there are several professors gone this year who will not be back next year and several more on leave next year not planning to come back if they can help it.)

In any case, whether the number of resignations will be 11, or only five or three, the new round of controversy can but hurt the already tarnished reputation of the school. Furthermore, the situation could probably have been avoided with more thoughtful management. As one source put it, "The administration is being penny wise and pound foolish when you consider that you are not talking about that much money." According to this argument, the savings in salaries are greatly reducing the quality of the school by making it hard to keep older, more

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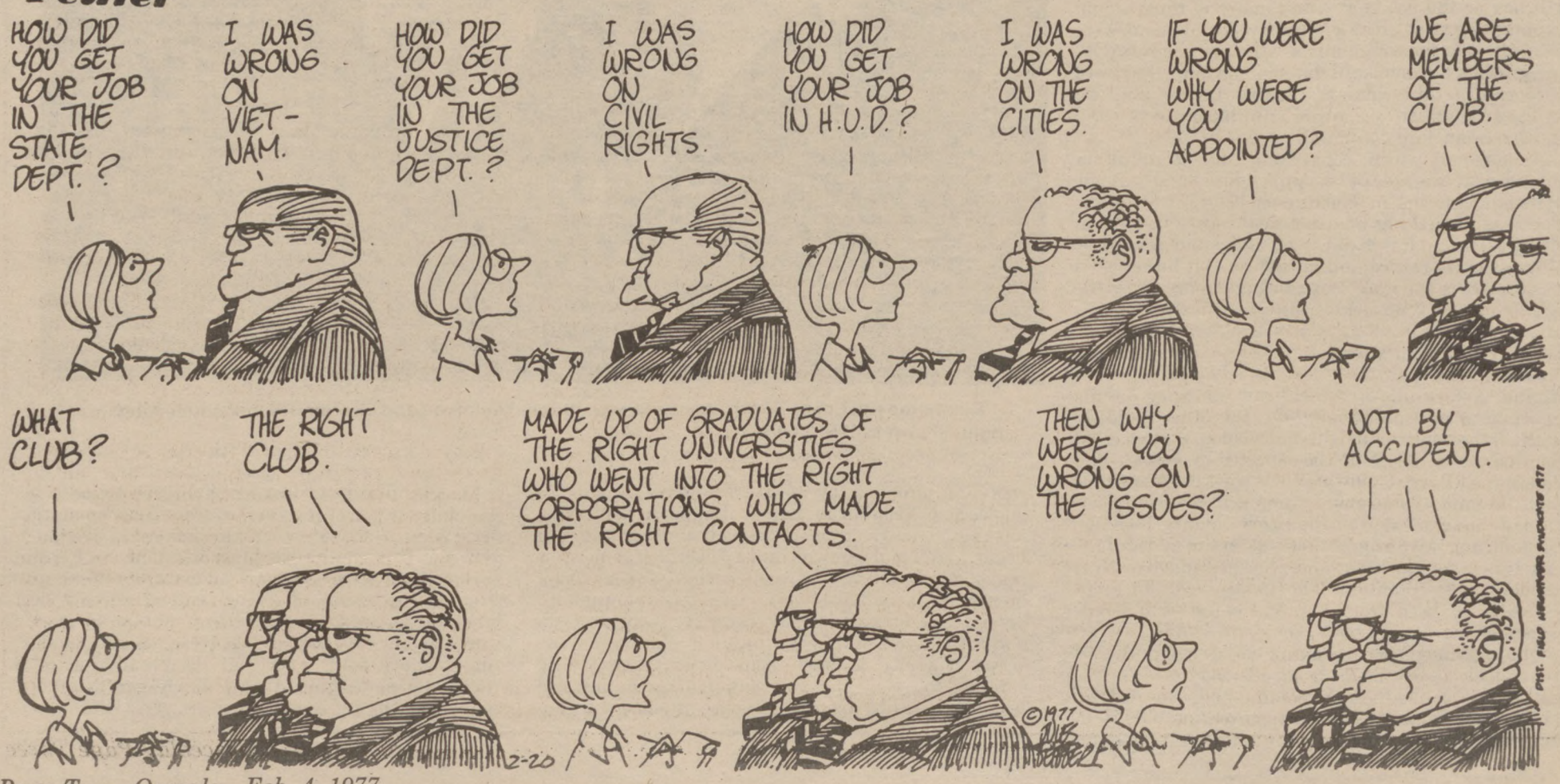
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The POLITICAL ECONOMY by Ed Meadows

Energy crisis, one more time

What surprise. We're face-to-face with the energy problem again, and it has only grown worse since its dimensions first dawned upon the national consciousness in 1973. Back then, in the wake of the oil embargo, the halls of political economy rang out with debate. On the left were environmentalists, Whole Earth people and other leftovers from the '60s counter-culture, announcing that we would have to change our lifestyles, that we would have to trade in our boss hogs for little puttmobiles that run on distilled chicken droppings. But the right drowned out the call for frugality. Progress, after all, was sacred, and the blasphemy of a no-growth economy was merely a fantasy of stoned-out hippies and communistic communards.

Then for a while a few trendies actually went out and bought small cars and one or two eccentrics experimented with solar energy. Yet by 1975, what? Big cars were hot items again and the energy issue was as passe as Tricia Nixon's love life, and rightwing anti-conservationists smirked in self-satisfaction.

In the meantime, though, the Ford administration made occasional random muttering about an energy policy, yet in fact there was no policy. And when the Carter administration moved to Washington, its energy people were shocked to find the top level energy agencies in a state of malignant (as opposed to benign) neglect. It was discovered that the Ford people at the Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) and the Federal Power Commission (FPC) had ignored enforcing any sort of energy policy, had no operational plans for contingencies such as the recent natural gas crisis, and hadn't even bothered to keep records of just how much fuel supplies we have on hand in the country. Actually, the only information these agencies have is whatever the large energy corporations consent to supply, and that information is typically incomplete, not to mention biased to paint the corporations in a most favorable light. (For this reason, President Carter attached to his recent energy emergency legislation a proviso giving ERDA and the FPC some powers to obtain information that the oil companies would rather keep secret.)

But what energy policy can there really be? One learns early in economics that the price system is supposed to ration goods and services in accord with their value to society. The price system, when it functions correctly, is really an information media. Ideally, it provides all the information one needs in order to make rational decisions about how he is to allocate his spending. And by this hypothesis, the prices of oil and natural gas should be set free, to go as high or as low as they might, so to let prices reflect the true value of these fuels. Then if the prices rose steeply, we would react by using energy more sparingly and with much greater efficiency.

> "...Any reasonable person must now realize that the only way to get people to change their habits is to hit them where it hurts -- in the bank account..."

But there's a dilemma. Any great jump in fuel prices will represent a heavy tax upon poor people, who need to drive to work and heat their dwellings as much as the affluent. Hence those of a liberal, humanist persuasion have opposed and mostly still oppose deregulation of oil and natural gas prices simply because it would most hurt those who can least afford it. Yet their argument is stronger than that. They will suggest that deregulation will not necessarily allow the law of supply and demand to equate fuel supplies with fuel demands at market-clearing prices. They explain that such a law only operates in the presence of large numbers of sellers and large numbers of buyers all actively competing against each other. Then they will note that in reality, the energy market consists of consumers who desperately need fuel, and a few giant suppliers that possess strong monopoly power. And under these conditions, the so-called free market solution of the supply-demand equation does not obtain.

Thus for the past three years, we have relied on the weak efforts at moral suasion of an administration which itself soon tired of telling people they would have to make sacrifices. And people did not make sacrifices. They ignored the problem, thus proving the basic postulates of economics, postulates which suggest that price provides the only true motivation for the efficient use of scarce resources. In the face of low fuel prices, the energy problem was soon

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trb from Washington

Checks in the mail

I don't guarantee the details of this scene but something very much like it may happen a million times next summer. Willie Brown, who lives in a walk-up tenement with his wife and three children, will get a formal-looking cellophane-window letter from the United States Treasury. While the family watches fearfully Willy slits it open with trembling hands and inside there is a government check for $250.

What has Willie, a hard-working, poorly paid toiler, just on the poverty-line, done to receive this? Why, he has managed to earn income below the income tax level. So he is included with the taxpayers under the plan - Nelson Rockefeller and Willie Brown - a $50 credit for each of the five members of his family. What will he do with it? Spend it. He has been assigned a modest role in the war to stimulate the economy. He is willing to do his share.

If you don't believe this little drama watch the deliberations of the House Ways and Means Committee, scheduled to meet Wednesday, February 2, to consider President Carter's fiscal stimulus package. It's a complicated affair, to last two years and cost $30 billion with a lot of things included: One of them is a proposed one-shot tax rebate item to cost maybe seven to 11 billion dollars. Out of about 85 million people who filed tax returns last year some 16 million didn't include money in their replies because they were below the tax level. Willie Brown was one of them - a "nontaxable" as the Treasury quaintly classifies him. Why should he get money back from the Treasury now if he never sent any in? A couple of reasons. Cold-bloodedly, he will probably spend his rebate faster than anybody else. And secondly, because a lot of people, including the Carter administration, feel that you can't help the middle class without helping the poor. It's that old compassion poking itself in again. The cost for including the Willie Browns, the nontaxables, is about $1.5 billion in the overall bill, it is estimated.

The idea seems to be sliding by pretty much unnoticed which, I think, is a good thing. It is a lot less radical than it looks, this business of the Treasury sending out income tax checks to people who can't afford to send them in. It has been kicking around for a long time and in 1962 conservative economist Milton Friedman formalized it as a "negative income tax." Why not use the mechanism by which we now collect tax revenue from people with incomes above some minimum level to provide financial assistance to people with incomes below that level, he asked? Friedman argued that this would be better than establishing a huge welfare bureaucracy in which social workers spent 90 percent of their time spying on recipients to see if they met the means test. Friedman was economic consultant to presidential candidate Barry Goldwater in 1964. Some 1200 economists from 150 different institutions endorsed a variant of the negative income tax in 1968 though they called it "incentive income supplement."

Instead came the War on Poverty, a humane but confused program costing billions annually in a series of overlapping and contradictory plans that are probably the worst legislative nightmare of modern times. As Joseph A. Pechman and Alice Rivlin said in a paper in 1972, "The present welfare system is unworkable...this patchwork of public assistance programs is a failure."

Many agree. Richard Nixon, prompted by Pat Moynihan, briefly supported a Family Assistance Program which was, in effect, a negative income tax, under a different name, directed to families of the working poor who had children.

I don't know how far the Carter scheme will go. Tax rebates are supposed to be paid just this once. Yet it will be odd if somebody doesn't note that in the course of them the government is paying out checks to poor people, without any more test than normal income tax procedure, and that the same procedure might help to simplify the welfare mess to which Mr. Carter is pledged to turn his attention later on.

In the meantime, if the scheme goes through, it will be amusing to watch the faces of the Willie Brown family when the check comes through. The Budget people also tell me that there are about 16 million citizens who don't show up on tax lists, half of them supposed to be over 65. Can they file income taxes retroactively?

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I keep thinking about the Inaugural and that happy stroll of President Carter and his wife and Amy down Pennsylvania Avenue after he got out of the bullet-proof limousine. It was fun seeing a procession a mile long halted while Amy tied her shoe. What Carter said will be soon forgotten but not what he did. Why shouldn't other presidents mingle more with the people? I will tell you why.

Because in the words of the Warren Commission which investigated the murder of President Kennedy: "One out of every five presidents since 1865 has been assassinated; there have been attempts on President Ford, the shooting of George Wallace and the deaths of Robert Kennedy and Martin Luther King.

Easy access to firearms in America deprives us of the happy mingling of president and public. Remember that Oswald bought the gun that killed Kennedy for $21.45 from an advertisement he saw in the *American Rifleman*. *The Economist* in England (like the rest of the world shocked at America's barbaric murder rate) suggested to Carter: "Perhaps the single most significant earnest of a tough but humane presidency would be a pledge to work, against the lobbies and vested interests, for an effective gun law."

The Carter Inaugural walk was magnificent. It was also folly.

Democrats

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somesuch. Thus my grandfather was spared.

All of this may seem somewhat facetious, but I assure you at the time my family seriously entertained the idea that had my grandfather actually witnessed my vigorous if infantile attack on everything he stood for, he might well have suffered a massive, even fatal heart attack. For you see, no matter what else my grandfather was -- a layer, a Mason, a Presbyterian, a husband, a father, a grandfather, a veteran, a sportsman, a Southern gentleman -- he was a loyal Democrat who could no more imagine turning his back on the Party than he could inviting Martin Luther King home to supper.

As I said, my grandfather was a mild example of the loyal Southern Democrat. Like other leaders of the Party, his Demophilia was tempered by the exigencies of practical politics. It was the party followers rather than the party leaders who were most vociferous, most vehement in their devotion. Many were old-fashioned red-neck Southerners, so utterly bound to the party that had delivered the South from the evil grip of Republican Radical Reconstruction (forget, hell) that they never thought twice about voting for Roosevelt, for Truman, and **twice** for that effete liberal snob Adlai Stevenson. Some were willing to kill, even die for the Party. Which brings me to the central subject of this meandering piece.

I have an obsession for old letters and documents, relics of the past that reveal in a way no historian can the intricate thought processes of individuals long dead, men and women whose lives were molded and whose actions were determined by influences that later generations find difficult to comprehend. I have a large collection of such documents, and one of those documents--a letter I came across about a year ago while researching material for a master's thesis--speaks directly to the subject at hand. My research dealt with the famous Edgar Brown-Strom Thurmond U.S. Senatorial race of 1954, during which Brown waged one of the last great battles for party loyalty in South Carolina. You may remember the circumstances surrounding the election. In June, 1954, South Carolina's junior senator Burnet R. Maybank had run unopposed for a third term in the Democratic primary. In those days of one-party politics, a primary nomination was equivalent to election--the November general elections were a mere formality, ignored by a great many voters. But 1954 was different. On September 1, Maybank died suddenly at his summer home in Flat Rock, N.C. A state law--passed during Thurmond's stint as governor--required all candidates to be certified sixty days prior to the general election. The deadline fell on September 3 and the state Democratic Party had just two days to come up with a new nominee. It was up to the state Democratic executive committee to decide what to do--a minority of committee members favored a new primary; others claimed the state law prevented such a move. Under party rules, the executive committee had the power to choose a nominee whose name would appear on the general election ballot and whose election would thus be assured--or so most of the party intelligensia thought at the time. Without going into all the details, the executive committee by 31-18 vote decided to forego attempts at holding a primary and nominated veteran state senator and party leader Edgar A. Brown for the senate seat.

By 1954 Brown, who was already in his sixties, had reached the penultimate position within the state party. He was, as his campaign literature pointed out, "Mr. Democrat," the Bishop from Barnwell, utterly devoted to the Democratic Party on both the state and national levels. Brown was the absolute embodiment of the kind of Democratic loyalty I've been discussing. In 1952, when many heretofore loyal Democrats deserted the national party to form the "Democrats for Eisenhower" movement in South Carolina, Brown labelled them traitors and deserters. They were "Republicrats," Brown said, and their leader and his former friend Jimmy Brynes was the worst of the lot. Second only to Byrnes on Brown's list was Strom Thurmond, a man "always prepared to bend in the prevailing wind," Stevenson carried South Carolina in 1952, but Ike made an impressive showing. It was obvious to many that the walls of the Democratic fortress were beginning to crumble, but Brown, utterly blinded by his own unyielding loyalty, viewed the evidence as an aberration resulting from the activities of traitors like Byrnes and Thurmond -- it would pass, he was sure.

Although no one has ever been able to produce the hard evidence to prove it, the opinion was and is widely held that both Byrnes and Thurmond lobbied among the state Democratic executive committeemen for Maybank's seat. Too many of the committeemen, however, were of the Brown ilk and viewed both Byrnes and Thurmond as deserters unworthy of the prize the party was now in a position to bestow. So the aging Brown, who had twice before sought a U.S. Senate seat and failed and who by now felt he was too infirmed to withstand the rigors of a no-holds-barred campaign, had the nomination dumped in his lap. But not for long. The morning the nomination was announced, the state press, led by the **News and Courier** and its arch-conservative editor Tom Waring, began howling that the "rights of the people" had been usurped. After a week of testing the political waters, Thurmond announced he would be a write-in candidate for the Senate post in order to insure that "a group of 31 party henchmen" would not dictate their choice to the people.

Byrnes

During the early weeks of October Thurmond and his supporters, Brynes prominent among them, continued to clamor for a primary--a move which, if accepted by Brown, would place Thurmond's name on a ballot, thus greatly improving his chances of a victory--or so it was thought, as no one had ever succeeded in winning a U.S. Senate post as a write-in candidate. Brown, however, would not budge. "I am the only legitimate nominee of the Party," he stated wearily, again and again. "If Thurmond goes to Congress, he will not go as a Democrat." In current parlance, Brown stonewalled it--refusing to meet Thurmond in debate, refusing in the early days of the campaign to even acknowledge the existence of serious opposition. By mid-October, however, it was obvious even to Brown's most loyal supporters that the venerable politician was in trouble. The state's daily newspapers, owned by clandestine Republicans whose conservative philosophies put them more and more at odds with the national Democratic party, knew Brown would support the national party straight down the line. In Thurmond, with his Dixiecratic credentials, they saw the kind of conservative Democrat-turning-Republican they knew themselves to be. So the press, and particularly the **News and Courier,** became openly partisan, damning the state executive committee in editorials, publishing page after page of pro-Thurmond letters, and in the case of the News and Courier, even running a daily box on the front page explaining "How to Write-In Thurmond."

Brown's response to all of this opposition was to continue to hammer away at the concept of party loyalty. Thurmond and Byrnes were traitors, voters were told in one political ad after another. One of Brown's most frequently-used ads quoted a remark attributed to a 1936 speech by Byrnes: "Everyone who calls himself a Democrat should bow down to the will of the party or get out of the party. You are either for the Democratic party or you are against it. There is no middle ground."

Some of Brown's more astute advisors sensed that times were changing, that while many party loyalists remained in the state, an appeal to party loyalty no longer carried the weight it once had. Campaign on more substantive issues, the wisest heads around Brown pleaded in letters to the Barnwell senator. Brown's reply was standard: "Hold the line. Get the vote out. The Party will overcome." I don't believe I go too far in stating that by 1954 Brown--who had led the Party for so many years--really perceived himself as the embodiment of the Party--attacks against the state party were personal attacks against Brown, against Mr. Democrat. And he refused to cave in--he refused to agree to a primary, in which he had an excellent chance of winning; he refused to debate Thurmond on the issues, or even to deal substantively with national issues. Loyalty to the Party, loyalty to Brown--there was no other issue.

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-Ben Tillman, 1917

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-Harvard biologist George Wald

As everyone knows, Brown's stubborn stance cost him the election. 140,000 voters, writing in the name "Strom Thurmond" or "Strum Thoman", etc., outvoted party loyalists two-to-one. Thurmond, a man whose political fortunes seemed bankrupt following his 1952 primary defeat by U.S. Senator Olin Johnston, was suddenly on top again. And our querulous, eccentric, often-derided U.S. Senator has remained there ever since, a symbol of the decline and fail of the do-or-die Southern Democrat.

But back in '54, a passle of do-or-diers were still around. Which brings me back to the original subject of this rampage, a letter I discovered in Edgar Brown's files of the 1954 campaign. The letter, written by an incredibly-rabid Southern Democrat who lived just across the Savannah River in Augusta, Ga., was one of several written to Brown by this gentleman during the Brown-Thurmond race. The writer was prompted to write Brown after he paid a visit to some relatives living in and around Aiken County. Aiken was one of the early strongholds of Republican-minded sentiment in South Carolina, a fact which many attribute to the influx of well-educated non-Southerners during the construction of the Atomic Energy Commission's Savannah River atomic power facility, known locally as the "bum plant."

A close reading of this letter will, I hope, reveal - in a way no second-hand account can hope to match - something of the fierce, even savage loyalty some Southerners felt for the Democratic Party, and beneath the hate which boils at the surface, I think you can see some of the more noble impetus which brought men into the Party -- a party which stood for the "common man," while the Republican Party, in the words of another Brown correspondent from the same period, "believes that fifty cents a day and a pair of overalls is all that a working man deserves for his labor." In the eyes of most of these old Southern Democrats, of course, the common man was white -- and the effect that concept had on the Party is the subject for a dozen columns. The letter reprinted here is funny, shocking, revolting, and at times almost incomprehensible (I have added some punctuation here and there for clarity). Admittedly, the writer represents the most virulent strain of the species, but I do not believe he was unique, or even uncommon.

Dear Mr. Democrat...

(A handwritten note on the letter's first page reads: "Show to Sen. Brown.")

Oc. 24th, 1954

Hon. Edgar A. Brown
Columbia, S.C.

Dear Mr. Democrat

You probably do not know this but I am to durned old to care about an election only I found a little freedom here when I came into this world for the common man and it would make me very happy to leave some here when I left. (N)ow you and I both know that we no longer have a free press because the Corps. have bought it body and soul and anyone that has sense enough to know which end to wash when he starts to wash his feet knows that the loss of the peoples freedom of the people will follow that just as surely as darkness follows the day.

Yesterday I was over in Aiken and even some of my relatives had a cussed Strom Thurmond sign on their car(.) I made them pull the cussed thing off and found myself in a devil of an arguement with some of that infernal bomb plant bunch of fools that claim they are for labor and I tried to explain to them why I had rather be called a liar, thief and a sex pervert rather than to be known as a coward who did not have sense or courage enough to fight for the common mans friend. It was one devil or an affair but before I finished with them more than half of the fools had torn off them infernal signs. Of course all I know about you is that you are a loyal democrat, and I am too cussed old to ever get to Washington to ask any favor from a honest democrat(.) I wish you would write me before next week what your stand for labor is(,) just anything so that I will have an answer for that bunch of idiots that still have them durned signs on their cars. (B)ecause I am going to try and obtain me a owl head pistol, a pair of home made brass knuck and a barlow pocket knife and go over there next week end to try to convince that bunch just how wrong they are.

I see in the Corp. controlled press this morning that the mossy backed sinner old Jimmy Byrnes says that he is going to vote for that deserter, well we could not expect one deserter to not vote for another one but that just shows that the Country has all ready gone to the dogs and we just as well lay in a supply of flea powder because when I was a boy if that bird had uttered a word like that Teddy Roosevelt and all of his rough riders could not have saved him from being hung from the closet tree and they would not have give a durn about how high the tree was just so it was high enough to choke the last foul breath of his out.

I know you must think that I have some selfish motive in takeing an interest in an election in S.C. but if there was anything that it was possible for me to do to help a fellow Democrat and I did not have the courage to do it I would burst into tears at the sight of the first negro child i saw on the street because I would know I had disgraced all humanity. (B)ecause I was twice elected Sheriff on the Democrat ticket and when a man pledges himself to support the party and then fails to do that I am quite sure the devil has already erected a seperate torment for those that desert it because he does not wish to disgrace common sinners by haveing to associate with deserters.

Now old Jimmy is only a turn coat
to get a ride on the Republican boat
and I will never listen to Byrnes
just because him and Strom have sore sterns.

Now Old Jimmy and Strom are up a tree
for we no longer them care to see
never did they a Democrat be
for they never believed people should be free.

They both from the right would flee
for power is their only glee
let them live only in the past
for their only care is to be fast.

Vote for a loyal democrat
you will never be left flat
dishonor followed where deserters sat
for only their pocket books were made fat.

Sincerely a Democrat

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cheap shots

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experienced professors. "It has been difficult to attract new people, anyway, because of the flair-ups that have occurred at the school over the past few years and here it seems that experience counts for nothing. It really seems foolish to let these people go since they come in here with no experience."

And once again, as in the problems (for a number of reasons) with the school's accreditation, the problems over denial of tenure to some of the younger professors, the problems with admission of sons of politicians who did not qualify, it is the students at the school who will be the ultimate losers. You would think a state with only one law school and in which the majority of lawyers graduated from that school would do better by its institution. But as for now it looks like the USC Law Center will continue to be a mismanaged political plaything.

House ethics...

The entire affair would serve well as a scenario from some cynical fictional work on the subject of politics. Rep. Tom G. Mangum, D-Lancaster, is--according to his vote count--about to become chairman of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee. Although some representatives dispute his count, Mangum claims he has support from 24 of the 25 members on the committee. What's so unusual about all of this? Well, Mangum, you see, is under indictment on charges related to the alleged fixing of traffic tickets in his home county of Lancaster--and his trial on those charges has been conveniently postponed until after this year's legislative session ends.

A good deal of press and public criticism has been leveled at Mangum's attempts to gain the chairmanship while under indictment, but for the most part Mangum and his fellow committee members have ignored it. However, Mangum did make one concession this week--he advised committee members that, if elected, he would not take the seats assigned to the Ways and Means chairman on the State Budget and Control Board and the State Reorganization Commission—until the criminal charges have been resolved. Instead, Mangum said, he would designate some other member to serve in his place.

The State quoted sources this week who speculated Mangum was attempting to "quiet criticism...surrounding his almost assured election to head Ways and Means while under indictment."

Friends, according to our legislative handbook, there are only 124 members *in* the House of Representatives. If 25 are willing to go along with this sham and raise a man under indictment to the chairmanship of the most powerful committee in the House, we're in a heap of trouble. But you probably knew that already.

Economy

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forgotten. It was, after all, only manifest in occasional government warnings (muffled as they were by the Republicans) and some hokey public service TV spots urging conservation. And with gas freely available at the pumps, no one had much reason for genuine concern.

Well clearly, this "policy" has not worked, and any reasonable person must now realize that the only way to get people to change their habits is to hit them where it hurts -- in the bank account.

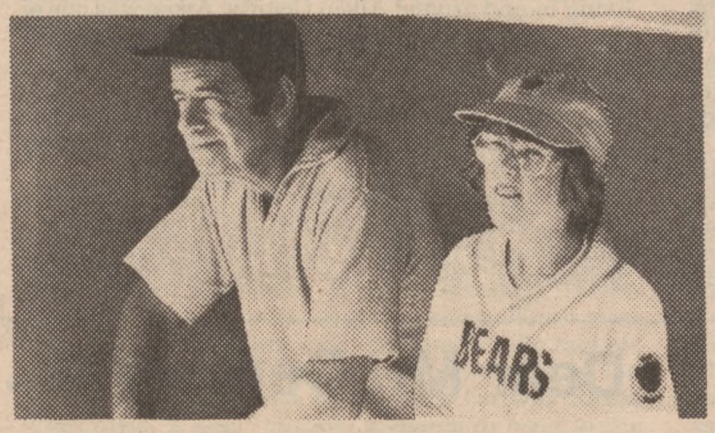
Now the purposes of oil and natural gas price deregulation must be understood, for there are two distinct purposes. the first is the aforementioned purpose of incentive, raising price and forcing people to use energy efficiently. The second purpose is more controversial. It is ostensibly to eliminate the current and future shortages of these fuels, by letting the price rise until it presumably becomes profitable for the energy conglomerates to supply enough fuels to meet our needs.

But the question arises whether the energy companies really need any additional incentives, or whether in fact they have been systematically capping wells to create an energy shortage. There's no real way to answer the question, because, again, the energy firms release no information that's not in their direct interest, and under past Republican administrations, they've been allowed to get away with this occult and unconscionable practice. However, now that the winter of 1977 has given us a true taste of energy scarcity anew, we might better disregard any argument over what the oil firms are trying to pull. The real need is to raise fuel prices that we might be forced to use energy wisely at last.

A windfall profits tax will eliminate any obscene upward leap in energy firm profits, and for the very poor, there could be some aid analogous to food stamps, i.e., "energy stamps."

Painful as it will be, deregulation of oil and natural gas prices is obviously necessary as the mainspring of any real energy policy, for price is the one incentive that will *force* us to conserve.

Films



The ten best

Clockwise from top: Walter Matthau and Alfred Lutter, Jack Nicholson, Sissy Spacek, Lenny Baker.
Opposite page: Dustin Hoffman and Robert Redford.

by Venson Steadman

To choose the ten best films is a rather thorny problem since the pickings from Hollywood's increasingly epic-oriented moguls are getting slimmer all the time. To be sure, the disaster craze has blessedly faded out (although Universal tried to revive a real life disaster in "Midway") and the voyeuristic, over-the-counter violence that seemed ready to take over the films of the early seventies survives only sporadically in movies like "Marathon Man." But Hollywood is still concentrating on a mixture of G-rated sorghum and big star, big event type pictures (made bigger through publicity) while neglecting the low budget experimental movies in which the most interesting work has almost always been done. If directors like Coppola, Scorsese, and DePalma are now making good films, it's in spite of the commercial system, not be escaping it.

In any case, here are ten good films from 1976.

The Story of Adele H. The story of Francois Truffaut's career is one of masterpieces interspersed by negligible or half-baked ideas. "Adele H" is a masterpiece: Adele Hugo's hopeless passion for a British army officer told in a style so clean and spare that it may seem underdirected until the end when the impact of what Truffaut is doing really hits you. It's that impact and Isabele Adjani's beautiful, obsessive forget. If you live in Columbia, however you may have found it hard to see since the film was only here for a week.

The Man Who Would Be King. The sheer endurance of John Huston is a little bit inspiring; after nearly 40 years in movies he has given us this plum among adventure films. The Kipling story about two ex-British soldiers who become kings of an uncharted country only to lose it all in the end was an appropriate, romantic subject and he varied his documentary-like approach with two virtuoso performances by Sean Connery and Michael Caine. There was also a superbly written script by Huston and Gladys Hill and some good Oswald Morris photography.

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Next Stop Greenwich Village. Paul Mazursky is, I think, the best director of comedy now working in this country and 1976' best comedy was this nostalgic-funny memory of life in the Village during the early fifties. A new discovery, Lenny Baker (he appeared briefly in "The Paper Chase) was the callow hero and Shelly Winters provided a manically risible performance as his Jewish mother. The script was by Mazursky as well.

The Bad News Bears. When it comes to comedy. Michael Ritchie ain't bad either, and he followed the excellent "Smile" with a tale about a hopeless little league team and the grumpy coach (Walter Matthau) who leads them to near-victory. Like most of his films, it's in the context of Capra, but with a not too cynical seventies updating.

The Magic Flute. Ingmar Bergman's filming of Mozart's last opera was a gesture of pure love, the result being one of the best, if not the best, opera movies ever made. If you love the music, this richly comic staging of the opera on antique sets was pure exhilaration. The movie revealed Bergman, and his veteran cinematographer Sven Nykvist, at the height of their powers.

All the President's Men. Contrary to all expectations, the Watergate story on film was an intelligent, reasonably unexploitive bit of drama. Director Alan J. Pakula and photographer Gordon Willis filmed extensively at night and turned prosaic

Washington into a dark, *film noir* context for this, perhaps the seediest episode of American political history. Robert Redford and Dustin Hoffman were the pair of crusading reporters.

Carrie. After several years of near and far misses, director Brian DePalma created a pop movie masterpiece – a luscious fairy tale about an introverted, psychokinetic teenager (Sissy Spacek) who gets her dream of going to the prom with the handsomest boy in school, only to end up destroying it after she is unexpectedly humiliated. DePalma kept down the potential sentimentality with his witty, gothic style and the movie tapped high school memories on a subconscious level. A deeper, darker remembrance than the inanities of "American Graffiti."

One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest. Czech director Milos Foreman calmed down the Ken Kesey story to his own low-keyed, naturalistic pace, but he didn't lobotomize it: the message about the need for self-respect in an authoritative (in this case bureaucratic) society is intact and Jack Nicholson gave about the best Randall Patrick McMurphy imaginable. There was also the brilliantly chilling performance by Louise Fletcher as Nurse Ratched, the surprise hit of the film.

Taxi Driver. Paul Schrader's underplotted, overwritten script was the problem here, but no one knows New York better than Martin Scorsese and he turned it into a nightmare background for his filming of this story about a taxi driver who goes beserk. It was also an opportunity for Robert DeNiro's best performance to date and Scorsese's skill with actors is such that even Cybill Shepherd was good. A brilliant piece of direction with less than brilliant material.

The Bingo Long Traveling All-stars and Motor Kings. Black-oriented movies have up to now been mostly "blaxploitation" – that is to say rip-offs of old Hollywood formulas for new images of black glamor ("Mahogany") or hate-ridden action films ridden with "honkies" and "niggers." If "Bingo Long" was exceptional, it was because it told a story about blacks (the adventures of a thirties minor league baseball team) with neither hatred nor condescension. An entertaining film with good performances by James Earl Jones and Billy Dee Williams.

Theatre

"A Midsummer Night's Dream." At Town Theatre through Feb. 6.

The age of burlesque lived once again last Friday night with the opening of Town Theatre's version of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Imagine, if you will, the Bard's most popular comedy as it might have been performed by Abbott and Costello. Or how about The Three Stooges? Conjure up the subtley of "Gilligan's Island" and the deft acting of an episode from "Green Acres" and you will have some idea of the level on which director Adiran Elder's version of the play operated. Elder has seen in Shakespeare's comedy not the lyrical-poetic fantasy that we all thought it was, but a vaudeville turn -- replete with a soft shoe dance, clumsy magic tricks, ring shots, pennywhistles, and an incessant, banal, "original" music score to underline every emotion, comic or romantic.

What Elder apparently had in mind was the famous Peter Brook production of "Dream" back in the sixties. Brook shocked the Shakespearean world by throwing out all the romantic gingerbread that this warhorse among warhorses had accumulated over the years and staging the play in a white cube with trapezes and other circus paraphernalia. Brook too played the comedy as vaudeville, but with a purpose: by going against the traditional interpretations of the text he was getting back to it, provoking a reawareness of the play itself.

However nothing could be more irrelevant than the play itself to the Town Theatre production, which has even neglected that most fundamental thing in performing Shakespeare: getting the actors to speak the language properly. Nearly all of the readings are flat and inflectionless and with the exception of Cynthia Gilliam as Titania are filtered through the performers' Southern accents. (Obviously the actors can't be blamed for the way they talk, but an extra measure of style is needed to overcome this traditional problem of local productions). Nor has Town been worried by anything so basic as aesthetic consistency; costuming the actresses in ballet skirts and the actors in Greek tunics, the performance is half-way between Max Reinhardt opulence and Peter Brook spareness and comes out looking a mess -- a problem that is hardly amerliorated by the clunky Lyn Carroll costumes and Walter O'Rourke's garrish lighting.

But if the Town production were merely incompetent it might not be so bad, since the fun of this -- probably the most accessible of all Shakespeare plays -- is such that it should be able to transcend even bad acting and cheap stagecraft; it's what has been added that makes the performance actively offensive. For example: in Act III Elder has had Puck (Sam Sexton) and Oberon (Alex Daniels) cap an exchange with a hat and cane dance. This routine, which here looks like a refugee from a drag revue, worked once for Mel Brooks in "Young Frankenstein," but neither Brooks nor his protege Gene Wilder have been able to pull it off since. As Elder stages it it's simply gross. And grossness is evident elsewhere in the humor, a sense of the comic that could have the egg-shaped Jim E. Quick as Bottom follow a line like "It shall be called 'Bottom's Dream' because it hath no bottom" by crawling ass-outward across the set.

The thing I objected to most, however, was the use of music. Michael Fauss' original score -- which consists of electronic, flying saucer-type noises for the fairies and an oboe and flute motif for the mechannicals - is so banal that before consulting the program I though it must have been canned, like the background scores they use in TV shows. As it is, Elder has used it just like a TV show: incessantly, with never a flight of poetry coming out of a character's mouth without music to tell us how to feel about it. In one of Titania's speeches a chorus in the background even made it impossible to hear what she was saying. This kind of redundancy doesn't just play down to the audience's sensibilities; it nullifies them. Dramatically, the use of music with Shakespeare can work spectacularly well, but its overuse, as is here proven, can turn great writing into the crummiest kind of melodrama.

This was simply the worst Shakespeare production I have ever seen -- not the worst technically, but the one which showed the least respect and feeling for the art of what was being presented. It's easy to "sell" Shakespeare by deemphasizing the language and playing up the pratfalls, but if you're going to do that, what is the point of producing one of the plays in the first place? Local theatre groups like Town draw audiences to classics in the name of Culture. Coming to "A Midsummer Night's Dream," will they consider themselves cheated if what they get is closer to "The Lucy Show"?

Venson Steadman

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Recycling the Bottle Bill

by John Norton

Supporters of the Bottle Bill – a piece of environmental legislation which made its fourth annual appearance in the S.C. House of Representatives this week – believe they have finally gotten their act together.

The bill, which has remained essentially unchanged since it was first introduced in 1974, is modeled after bills passed in Oregon and five other states. In essence, the bill if enacted will require that all cans and bottles containing soft drinks and beer be refundable at no less than five cents apiece. Retailers must accept and pay for refundable containers they sell. There is no outright prohibition of no-deposit, no-return bottles and cans contained within the legislation The bill would, however, prohibit the sale of cans with removable tabs.

The Bottle Bill encountered vigorous opposition as it moved through the House last year. Anti-bottle bill forces, spearheaded by the S.C. Beer Association, the S.C. Soft Drink Association, the Laurens Glass Company and several state canneries, mounted an impressive public relations campaign. Joining forces with retail grocers and convenience store owners, the bottling and canning industry representatives appealed directly to consumers, soliciting signatures on anti-bottle bill petitions and saturating checkout counters with scare posters. A typical poster distributed by the S.C. Beer Association proclaimed: "WARNING - 30¢ MORE PER 6-PACK! That's what you'll pay if South Carolina House Bill 2501 (The Bottle Bill) is passed. TELL YOUR LEGISLATOR TO VOTE **NO** ON 2501." Thousands of consumers, ignorant of the bill's specifics but anxious to avoid a 30-cent hike in soft drink and beer prices, signed the petitions.

In addition to the public appeal, the industrial lobbyists joined with key members of the House--representatives from areas where constituents are employed in the canning and bottling industries and House members with food retailing interests--and successfully fought the bill to a standstill. The effort to bring pressure upon House members was so successful, in fact, that the number of legislators who attached their names to the Bottle Bill legislation was reduced from a high of 38 at the beginning of the '76 session to less than ten by the time the bill was finally bottled up in the House Industry and Commerce Committee.

The parameters of this year's fight over the bill are expected to be much the same--with one important exception. The environmental and civic groups that support passage--led by the S.C. Environmental Coalition--are much better organized for this year's battle. Coalition leader Brion Blackwelder said this week, "We just weren't very well organized last year. Several public interest groups were working for passage of the bill, but the effort wasn't coordinated. The Coalition was heavily involved in the effort to pass tidelands legislation, which was our number one legislative priority last year, and we were just spread too thin to mount the kind of effort needed to counteract the expensive anti-bottle bill campaign conducted by the bottling lobby."

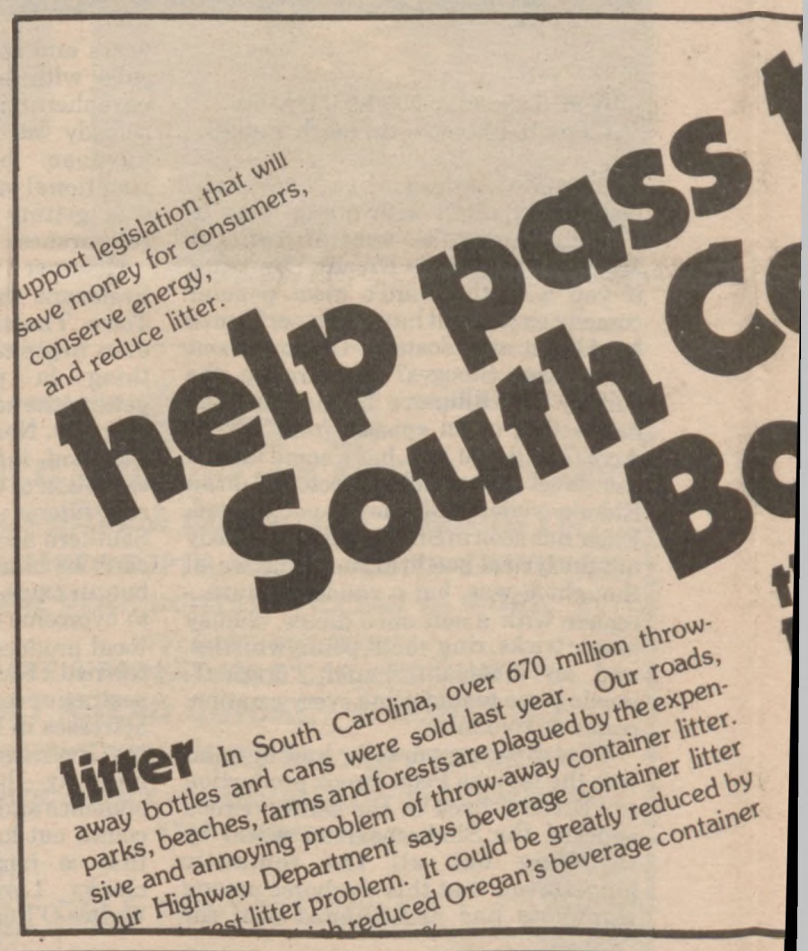
Blackwelder said the Coalition has designated the Bottle Bill as this year's top legislative effort. A professional environmental advocate, Blackwelder will coordinate the efforts of the Coalition and its allies--the League of Women Voters, the LeComte chapter of the Sierra Club, which is also working to pass similar legislation in North Carolina, the S.C. Wildlife Federation, the Governor's beautification committee, and state garden clubs.

The environmental and civic groups have already begun their work. This week the groups participated in a joint press conference with Reps. Bill Campbell (D-Richland) and Ed Simpson (R-Pickens) who are co-sponsoring the bill in the House. Pro-bottle bill literature is being distributed to members of the organizations, along with a petition which asks legislators "to act favorably to pass this needed measure for control of litter, consumer savings, and energy conservation." The Coalition is putting the finishing touches on a South Carolina Price Survey which compiles data on retail prices of soft drinks and beer in refillable and non-refillable containers in the state's 46 counties. The survey is patterned on similar surveys conducted in 25 other states last year by the Environmental Protection Agency and the League of Women Voters. "We hope we will be able to show," Blackwelder said, "that under the present set-up soft drinks in returnable bottles are less expensive than in non-returnable bottles, assuming the returnable bottles are returned to stores for redemption." Blackwelder feels that the price surveys will also provide data that will allow the Coalition to monitor industry price increases in the event legislation is passed.

Lobbyists and industry groups opposed to the bill's passage are also busily preparing for the fight ahead. Insiders say representatives of bottlers, canners, glass manufacturers, and retail businesses that sell beer and soft drinks and will be required to establish systems to handle returns have already begun contacting legislators. At least four members of the House of Representatives are grocery or convenience store owners and are expected to oppose the legislation.

After three previous attempts to pass the Bottle Bill, both sides have their arguments pretty much down pat. The anti-bottle bill forces claim the law would jack up prices on soft drinks and beer by about five cents per bottle; thus the figure of "30¢ more per six-pack." The pro-bill forces have maintained that this figure is inaccurate and this year they have a 1976 EPA study to back them up. The study found that on the average consumers save about 30 cents per six-pack on returnables if bottles are redeemed.

Anti-bottle bill forces also argue that tax revenues will be decreased, health hazards resulting from dirty bottles and cans will increase, and customers will rebel against the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"inconvenience" of having to return bottles for deposit. Studies of Oregon's experience with a mandatory deposit law tend to negate the arguments related to health hazards and inconvenience. On the question of decreased sales -- and thus decreased tax revenues -- follow-up studies in Oregon and Vermont are somewhat inconclusive. In Oregon, beer sales continued to grow after the container law was passed but the rate of growth was slower than it had been prior to passage of the law. In Vermont, tax revenues on beer declined about ten percent in the year after the container law went into effect. Proponents of the law in both states attribute the declines to the effects of the recession rather than the bottle bill legislation. In the soft drink area, Oregon experienced no change in total sales following passage; a decline in sales of off-brand canned drinks in chain supermarkets was counterbalanced by an increase in brand-name or "franchise" soft drinks-Coca-Cola, Pepsi, etc.

Perhaps the most telling argument of the anti-bottle bill lobby revolves around the economic impact of the legislation--reduction in jobs and reduction in profits in certain South Carolina-based industries. State bottlers and canners, and representatives of their interests in the House, said during last year's debate on the bill that more than 200 jobs would be lost in Kershaw and Lee counties alone if the bill were passed. These figures were based on claims by canners that they would be forced out of business if the legislation was enacted. The canning of beer and soft drinks is likely to decline. In states where container legislation has been passed, the use of cans in both the soft drink and beer industries

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has declined considerably due primarily to the fact that bottles can be cleaned and reused up to 20 times while cans can be used only once, then must be melted down and recycled, a more expensive process. The South Carolina glass industry, specifically the Laurens Glass Company, has also claimed there will be a loss of jobs and revenue. Beverage containers are the last stronghold of a glass container industry plagued by the advent of plastics, and obviously the glass companies would prefer to make 15 throwaway bottles rather than one returnable bottle which can be refilled 15 times.

Bottle bill supporters counter the loss-of-jobs argument by considering the effects of the bill on the overall state job market. They cite, for example, a 1975 study by Kentucky in which researchers reviewed data from states which either have or are considering container laws and concluded that "virtually every study that has looked at both positive and negative employment aspects of beverage container legislation has concluded that a net increase in jobs would result."

Any job reductions in the canning and bottling industries are expected to be counterbalanced by job increases in the wholesale and retail sales area where more employes will be required to handle the return-recycle apparatus. The prospects of job increases in areas other than canning and bottling obviously do not pacify the canners and bottlers--neither do they please the beer and soft drink manufacturers who will be forced to create the new jobs. And the legislation could have a serious effect on the job market in rural areas of the state--specifically Laurens, Lee and Kershaw counties--where glass and can companies are among the few industries the underdeveloped counties have been able to attract.

Bottle bill proponents argue forcefully, however, that the impact on the canning and glass industries and on job markets in certain areas is offset by significant reductions in litter, in energy use, in use of natural resources, and in the cost of solid waste control. At the joint press conference this week announcing the reintroduction of the Bottle Bill, Reps. Campbell and Simpson cited figures supporting each of these contentions. South Carolinians, they said, daily discard 160,000 beverage containers as litter. Experiences in Oregon and other states have shown that the five-cent redemption on all beverage containers will provide sufficient incentive to the public to reduce this litter by at least 60 percent. In addition to the 160,000 containers which are thrown away as litter, another two million containers are disposed of each day in South Carolina through solid waste systems and are buried in landfills already glutted by the excesses of the "throwaway economy." Huge wastes of natural resources can be avoided, the legislators said, by enacting legislation which encourages the use of returnable bottles and cans.

In the midst of the worst energy crisis in the nation's history, the legislators predictably keyed in on the energy savings to be realized by the introduction of reusable beverage containers. "We have a situation," Simpson said, "where the governor and the lieutenant governor are going to Washington to beg for gas, yet at home no action via legislation is being taken to conserve energy. We're fiddling while people are freezing." Simpson said the energy required to produce one returnable bottle with a life-span of 15 refillings was significantly less than that required to produce 15 non-returnable bottles. He added that the energy required to produce one new aluminum can would be sufficient to recycle 19 existing cans. For dramatic effect, Simpson reeled off the names of a half-dozen small South Carolina towns which could be heated for one year with the projected energy savings from the Bottle Bill.

Campbell, who has a reputation as one of the leading advocates of environmental legislation in the General Assembly, told reporters that "sooner or later, we as individuals, as a community, as a society are going to have to face the reality that the day of 'unlimited resources' on this planet is over. Sooner or later, we are going to have to face the need for change and sacrifice, if we are to meet successfully the challenges of survival in this new age. Sooner or later, we are going to have to get serious about conserving our resources.

"I submit that we are now observing 'sooner' becoming 'later'. The longer we wait to face reality, the more trouble we bring on ourselves. The 'bottle bill' only deals with one area of resource conservation. It is a modest, common sense proposal."

Campbell said the bill would require no additional bureaucracy and no appropriations for implementation. He added that while the legislation might "inconvenience vested interests," the bill's benefits out-weighed its possible adverse effects. "It concerns me," Campbell said, "that it appears that our understanding is so limited, our will is so weak, our vulnerability to special interests is so total that we may not be able to succeed with such a modest, limited and appropriate proposal."

With both environmental and civic groups and the various industry and retail interests cranking up for a full-scale battle, the Bottle Bill issue may soon drift out of the media lull it is currently experiencing and land on the front pages.

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The chances of the bill's passage this year are anyone's guess at the moment. Campbell admitted to Osceola this week that if a vote were taken now in the House, the bill would probably fail. Both Blackwelder and Campbell describe the ensuing battle as a showdown between "the monied interests and the people." "We can't beat the lobbyists at the money game," Blackwelder said. "So we're going to use the same techniques we used successfully in the fight to preserve the Congaree Swamp and are presently using to oppose the Trotters Shoals dam. And that method is simply recruiting public support through petition drives, talks, slide shows, and so forth." Campbell expects a lengthy fight which will likely include several days of public hearings sometime this session. The final outcome in the House will depend, Campbell says, on how effectively Blackwelder and the organizations working with the Environmental Coalition are able to engineer public support. Should the bill pass the House, it will face an even more difficult, up-hill battle in the Senate; and even if the bill manages to get through the Senate, some of those working for its passage "would not be surprised" if Governor Edwards chose to veto it.

A public hearing on the bottle bill will be held February 21 in Columbia. Although both proponents and opponents of the measure are scheduled to speak, the latest word is that several lobbyists who had asked to have their names placed on the hearing agenda have now asked that their names be removed. Supporters of the bill suspect that anit-bottle bill forces will take and "wait and see" attitude--if the bill is reported out of the Agricultural and Natural Resources Committee of the House, then supporters believe the opposition will attempt to have the bill re-submitted without debate to the Labor, Industry and Commerce committee where it died during the 1976 session. Proponents hope the bill will have received sufficient publicity and gained sufficient public support by the time the bill is reported out of committee to prevent such a move.

Given the intense lobbying effort expected to be mounted against the bill, the well-documented sluggishness of the House, and the cadaver-like responsiveness of the Senate, two sessions of the legislature and a year of intensive citizen lobbying may be required for the Bottle Bill to emerge from the Statehouse. Its supporters claim they are prepared for the forced march.

events & entertainment

CINEMA

ATLANTIC I THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 786-0790

"Paul, Lisa, and Caroline" plays in a double bill with "Hollywood She-Wolves." These items are rated X, of course, and run continuously from 11 a.m.

ATLANTIC II THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 786-0790

"Souperman," not to be confused with the upcoming "Superman," together with "The Birds and the Beads." X. From 11.

CAROLINA THEATRE, 1323 Main Street, 254-8011

"Car Wash" comes back. It's a rock musical starring Richard Pryor, George Carlin, and Dr. Irwin Corey. R. Call about the times.

COLUMBIA EAST I THEATRE, 7369 Garner's Ferry Road, 776-0350

"Silver Streak." Bound for Chicago is the "AmRoad Silver Streak," a train filled with such characters as a high class art forger (Patrick McGoohan), a klutzy government agent in disguise (Ned Beatty), an art critic and his secretary (Jill Clayburgh), and spacy editor of gardening manuals (Gene Wilder). Given the premise and the hodge-podge nature of this comedy it threatens to be terrible, but turns out to be charming and appealing -- primarily because of the Colin Higgins script, loaded with vignettes of eccentric characters, and the gentle, romantic performance by Gene Wilder as a most unlikely action hero. There's also a manic injection of Richard Pryor toward the end of the movie. Rated PG. 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10.

COLUMBIA EAST II THEATRE, 7369 Garner's Ferry Road, 776-0350

"Carrie." Brian DePalma's best movie is a luscious fantasy on themes from high school: plain Carrie (Sissy Spacek) is ostracized by her classmates and mistreated by her mother and teachers. When she finally finds fulfilment at her dream prom, she is humiliated and destroys it. The movie takes off from the performances of Spacek and Piper Laurie as the fanatic mother, and DePalma has supplied a ripely tongue-in-cheek Gothic atmosphere to the melodramatic happenings; it's American Graffitti" as it might have been made by Edgar Allen Poe. R. Call about the showtimes.

DUTCH SQUARE NORTH THEATRE, Dutch Square Mall, 798-1110

"The Enforcer." The latest in the saga of Dirty Harry, a hard nosed cop who likes to rub out "punks" through such spectacular means as bazookas and crashing through plate glass windows. Even Clint Eastwood fans may find this one hard to take. With Tyne Daly as a side kick; Bradford Dillman as the incompetent, self-serving chief inspector. R. 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9.

DUTCH SQUARE SOUTH THEATRE, Dutch Square Mall, 798-1110

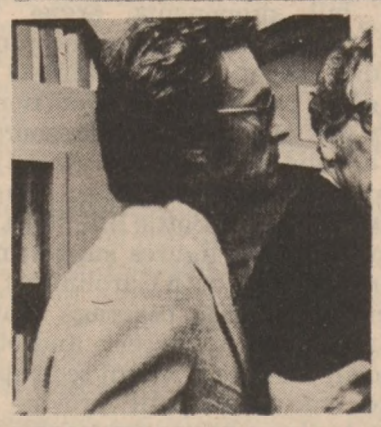
"The Shaggy D.A." In its eighth week is this new Disney live-action feature about a D.A. (Dean Jones) who is a dog. Tim Conway. G. 2, 4, 6, and 8.

FOX THEATRE, 1607 Main Street, 254-5212

Burt Reynolds fans can spend the day at this double bill of "Gator" and "White Lightning." Both have Reynolds in the character of Gator McCluskey, a good ole boy who likes to run corn likker and drive fast cars while sheriffs crash spectacularly in pursuit. R. Call.

FOX THEATRE, 1607 Main Street, 254-5212

"The Seven-Per-Cent Solution." Daffy Sherlock Holmes (Nicol Williamson) shoots up with cocaine, and even after Watson (Robert Duvall), gets him the cure from



Barbra Streisand, Clint Eastwood, and Peter Sellers.

Vienna's Sigmund Freud (Alan Arkin), he's but a shadow of his former sleuthing self. Author and screenwriter Nicholas Meyer obviously should have read E. L. Doctorow's "Ragtime" before he penned this updating of the Holmes legend, because he's incompetent with fictional and real life myths alike. Williamson's Holmes is a manic bore who is neither very funny nor startlingly logical in his deductions, while Arkin's Freud, a "detective of the mind," goes around spouting little nuggets of pseudoscience like a nineties version of Joyce Brothers. The movie desperately needs some genuine wit, and it's amazing that neither Williamson, Arkin, nor Laurence Oliver as Moriarity were able to supply it (Joel Grey does briefly). With Vanessa Redgrave, Georgia Brown. PG. 1, 3:05, 5:10, 7:15, and 9:20.

JEFFERSON SQUARE THEATRE, Jefferson Sqaure Downtown, 254-6731

"A Star is Born." Now that Streisand is out to turn herself into a show-biz institution -- a kind of 70s Ethel Merman -- it's getting that a little Barbra goes a long way. There's far too much of her in this teary tale about a young singer whose career is started by her rock superstar lover (Kris Kristofferson) on the alcoholic downswing. Good direction and writing by Frank Pierson and an unusually good performance by Kristofferson, but producer Streisand's self-indulgence weighs the movie down. R. Call for the shows.

MIRACLE THEATRE, 1229 Main Street, 256-1950

Francois Truffaut's "Small Change" is hardly one of the director's greatest works, but it's a beautiful little ode to childhood told in episodic style. Particularly enjoyable are the adventures of "Petit Gregory," the Rizaldo brothers, and a movie newsreel about a boy with no language that is vintage Truffaut whimsy. PG. 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, and 9:30. As of press time this theatre is scheduled to premier Fellini's new "Cassanova" on Friday, Feb. 11.

PALMETTO THEATRE, 1417 Main Street, 254-5800

"King Kong." Kong lovers may be outraged by this semi-cynical remake, but the DeLaurentiis-John Guillerman version is a good spectacle, short on scares, yet in some ways more interesting than the '33 "Kong" and certainly more realistic. Non-actress Jessica Lang is the ape's paramour, with Jeff Bridges and Charles Grodin this time in the male roles. PG. 2, 4:30, 7, and 9:30.

RICHLAND MALL I THEATRE, Richland Mall, 782-2228

"The Pink Panther Strikes Again." Not as funny as the previous Panther films, but still a pleasantly innocuous bit of entertainment. This time Clouseau (Peter Sellers) has his final showdown with the now mad Herbert Lom. PG. 1:30, 3:30, 7, 7:30, and 9 with the matinees dropping during the week.

RICHLAND MALL II THEATRE, Richland Mall, 782-2228

"Baker's Hawk." Family adventure-type entertainment with Jack Palance. G. 3, 5, 7, and 9 with the matinees dropping during the week.

ART

South Carolina artists are eligible to enter the Dixie Annual, a yearly exhibition of art works on paper. Artists may submit up to three works in any two-dimensional paper medium including prints, drawings, watercolors, collages, and photographs. A non-refundable fee of $5 is required of artists entering works in the exhibition. All works entered must be eligible for purchase. The deadline for submitting entries in the Dixie Annual is Feb. 8. To receive information on entry requirements, artists may call the Registrar at the Montgomery, Alabama Museum of Fine Arts. (telephone: 263-2519).

Mike Vatalaro of the Clemson University faculty will display his recent works in clay and some experimental efforts in concrete sculpture, Feb. 2-16 in Clemson's Lee Hall Gallery. Also on exhibit will be recent drawings in graphite by Linda Armstrong of Atlanta and a display of 31 plastic bags with sweepings from the studio floors of artists, including Norman Rockwell, Victor Vasarely and Carl Andre. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays and 2 to 5 p.m. Sundays.

The Columbia Museum of Art will be opening a new show on Feb. 9 to continue through March 2nd. "Mosaics by Marjorie Kreilick" is a selection of the University of Wisconsin professor's mosaics in sculptural form as well as photographs and sketches to enhance the collection. The show will be on view between the hours of 10 and 5 on Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 6 on Sunday. On Feb. 25th at 8 p.m. the Museum will host an illustrated lecture by Dr. Kreilick on "The Art of Mosaics" to which the public is invited.

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Mini, Combination of Eight	1.85
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(12) Medium, Bacon	2.40
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Medium, Combination of Four	2.80
Medium, Combination of Five	2.90
Medium, Combination of Six	3.00
Medium, Combination of Seven	3.10
Medium, Combination of Eight	3.20
Double Cheese	.55
Double Any One Ingredient	.55
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(Monster) LARGE PIZZA 15 Inches

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(2) Large, Sausage	3.30
(3) Large, Ground Beef	3.30
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MEETINGS

Everyone is invited to the Richland County Young Democrats February program meeting. Sen. Tom Turnipseed will be speaking on the South Carolina State Senate. The meeting will be on Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m., in the basement meeting room of the McCrory Building, corner of Maple and Devine streets.

West Columbia La Leche League will meet Tuesday, Feb. 8 at 9:30 in the home of Marie Campbell, 100 Pine Lane, Cayce. The topic for the meeting will be "Art of Breast feeding and Overcoming Difficulties." La Leche League is an international organization promoting good mothering through breastfeeding. For more information, call Carol McCormick at 359-3422 or Muriel Ross at 796-5406.

Timothy Leary will be giving a lecture at Carolina Coliseum on Feb. 10 at 8 p.m. It's open to the public, free of charge.

MUSIC

Singer Johnny Cash will be bring his stage show to Carolina Coliseum Feb. 12 at 8 p.m. It includes his wife, June Carter, and the Carter-Cash family. Ticket prices will be $7, $6, and $5.50, available by calling 777-5111.

A concert of lute and song will be presented on Sunday, Feb. 6 at the Columbia Museum of Art by the husband and wife duo of Anne Perret and Rodrigo de Zayas. The two are specialists in the music of such instruments as the lute, the Baroque guitar, the vihuela, and the theorbo, and have played their wide repertory of works for these instruments in numerous television and international concert appearances. The concert is at 3 p.m. in the Trustees Gallery. It's free, but seating is limited.

The Basil Pot, 2721 Rosewood Dr., will feature performances by Pam and Donald T. on Friday, Feb. 4 and by Leon Nelson on Feb. 5. Pam and Donald play what they describe as "smilin' music." Nelson plays folk and bluegrass. There will be a 75 cents cover charge for the entertainment. Snacks and munchies will be available. Music begins at 9 p.m. each night.

THE SECOND LEVEL, 2011 Devine Street, 771-4794

Friday and Saturday, the 4th and 5th, Adele Foster and her jazz trio will be the entertainment. Next week has: Eddie Campbell on Tuesday, Rob Crosby on Wednesday, Jack Baker on Thursday, and Hilton, Hanson and McGregor, a country-rock group, for the 11th and 12th. Cover is $1.50 on the weekend, 50 cents during the week. Happy hour is from 4 to 7 with draft at 25 cents.

THE LEFT GUARD, 2728 Rosewood Drive, 799-2575

The "Early Wilds" band will play for the 4th and 5th. About a $2.50 cover and the show starts at 9.

The Converse College Chamber Orchestra will be in concert Monday, Feb. 7th at 8 p.m. in Daniel Hall. The program is open to the public free of charge. Featured is violinist Amanda Gerttula who will play from Concerto Number 2 in G-Major, by Joseph Haydn. Also on the program is Haydn's popular Symphony Number 6 in D-Major (LeMatin), which will feature Deborah Trigg, violinist; Alice Taylor, violoncellist; and Converse Professor Donald Henderson, bassoon concertato.

SPECIALS

The Columbia YMCA is now accepting applications from boys and girls, 6-18 years of age, for its spring YMCA Soccer League. Registration forms can be obtained at the YMCA, 1420 Sumter Street or by calling 799-9187.

The Kappa Delta Rock-a-Thon will be held on Feb. 3 and 4. 45 USC girls will set their rocking chairs in motion at 6 p.m. in the Ruff Building at the Fairgrounds, but how many will last until 6 p.m. the next day? Everyone is invited to come watch the rocking, dancing, popcorn and beer. Admission is 50 cents - proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society. For more information please call 771-7861.

Fellowships for published writers of exceptional talent are being offered by the National Endowment for the Arts. The Endowment is making the $7,500 non-matching fellowships available to writers to enable them to set aside time for writing, research or travel that would be used in advancing their careers. The fellowship deadline is Feb. 15, 1977 for work scheduled to begin after Jan. 1, 1978. For applications contact: Literature Program (Mail Stop 607), National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, D.C. 20506 (telephone: (202) 634-6044).

THEATRE

The Atlanta Ballet, the oldest professional ballet company in the United States, will give a free public performance at the Carolina Coliseum on Tuesday, Feb. 8. The performance, will begin at 8 p.m.

Neil Simon's "The Star Spangled Girl" will be the next play at Hiers Dinner Theatre beginning Feb. 11 and continuing through March 4. Tickets will be $10 for the show and a gourmet buffet supper. On the opening weekend there will be special entertainment during the meal: "Mystic Maria and her Mideastern Dancers" and "The Local Gentry Barbershop Quartet." For information or reservations call 771-4528.

A bevy of TV soap opera stars will be appearing in "Absurd Person Singular," an anthology play about marriage and modern life, at the Carolina Coliseum on Sunday, Feb. 13. Tickets are $7, $6.25, and $5.25.

Due to heavy public response, Workshop Theatre's production of "Father's Day" is going to be held over through Saturday, Feb. 5. Tickets are $3.50 and $2.50; call the box office at 799-6551 for reservations.

"Much Ado About Nothing" will begin a six-day run at the University of South Carolina on Thursday, Feb. 10. Tickets are $3 adults, $2 USC faculty, and $1 students. Call 777-2551.

Rebecca Koon, Rob Weisfield, and Rose Crane in "Much Ado About Nothing."

CLASSES

A parent training workshop, designed for parents whose children are experiencing special difficulties in their social and personal adjustment, will begin at USC in March. The sessions will deal with such problem areas as hyper-activity, low self-concept, under-achievement, poor self-control and aggressive behavior. Each parent group will meet for six weekly sessions from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Tuesdays or Wednesdays. Parents must be able to attend all sessions. A $30 deposit will be charged, which will be refunded at the completion of all experimental procedures. Any parents interested in more information should call 777-4864

Group counseling for permanently separated or divorced individuals who are experiencing difficulty readjusting to life as a single person is being offered at the USC Psychological Service Center. The sessions are held one evening a week for five weeks and there is a $25 deposit which will be refunded to individuals who complete the program. Persons interested in participating in the group sessions should contact Linda O'Neil at 777-4864 as soon as possible for more information.

A series of filmmaking workshops will be conducted at the Dutch Fork Elementary School in Irmo and the Spartanburg Day School. The Irmo workshops begin on the 5th and are for seven subsequent Saturdays excluding March 19. The Spartanburg workshop begins March 19 and continues for each Saturday through May 7th. Both will meet from 9:30 a.m. through 4:30 p.m. Participants must pay a $15 materials fee in addition to supplying their own film and processing costs. For more information contact Roger Paige at the South Carolina Arts Commission – the sponsors or the workshops – at 829 Richland Street, Columbia, 29201 (phone: 758-3442).

events

For the week of Feb. 4 through 11. If you would like to get an event or meeting published, send to Box 5033, Columbia, 29250 or call 254-5507.

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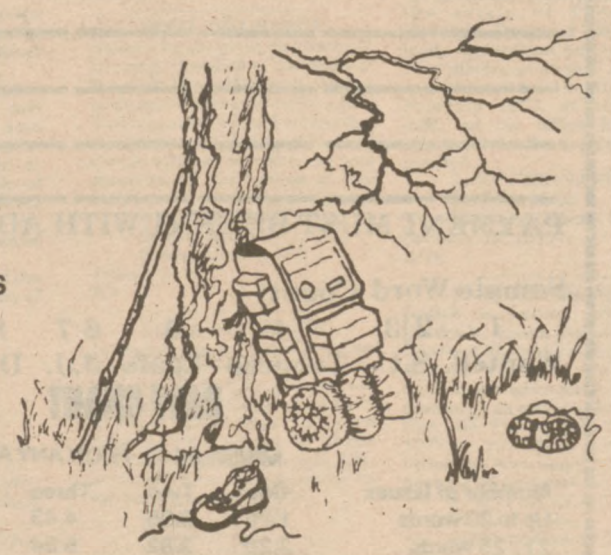

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Legal Notices

SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
In The Richland County Court
Mattie Z. Welch,
Plaintiff,
-vs-
Dorse L. Welch,
Defendant.
TO: THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in the above entitled action, a copy of which is hereby served upon you, and to serve your answer to the said Complaint upon the subscribers at their offices, 1338 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service hereof; and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said Complaint.
Kneece, Kneece, & Freeman
Attorneys for the Plaintiff

Columbia, South Carolina
17th day of January, 1977

COMPLAINT
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
In The Richland County Court
Mattie Z. Welch,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Dorse L. Welch,
Defendant.

The Plaintiff, above named, would respectfully show unto the court:

1. That the Plaintiff and Defendant are citizens and residents of the County of Richland, State of South Carolina, andlast resided in said county and state for at least one (1) year prior to the commencement action.

2. That Plaintiff and Defendant were married each to the other on or about September 16, 1965, in Columbia, South Carolina, and out of this marriage no children have been born.

3. That the Defendant has become a habitual user of drugs to such an extent that the Plaintifffrmed and believes that she is entitled to a divorce, a vinculo matrimonii, upon the statutory grounds of Habitual Drunkenness.

4. Plaintiff is informed and believes that the Defendant should be restrained and enjoined from molesting, harrassing or in any way intefering with the Plaintiff. Plaintiff is further informed and believes that the Defendant should be required to vacate the premises at 613 Duke Avenue until further Order of this Court.

5. That there has been no collusion between the parties for the purpose of bringing this action.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays:
(a) That this Court grant a divorce, a vinculo matrimonii, upon the statutory grounds of Habitual Drunkenness.
(b) That the Defendant be enjoined and restrained from interfering with, molesting or harrassing the Plaintiff.
(c) That the Defendant vacate the premises known as 613 Duke Avenue until further Order of this Court.
(d) For such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.
Kneece, Kneece & Freeman
Attorneys for the Plaintiff
Columbia, South Carolina
17th day of January, 1977
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SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT
C & S NATIONAL BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles M. Marsh,
Defendant.
TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint on the subscriber at his office, 1412 Bull Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service thereof, exclusive of the date of such service and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.
Craig S. Kelly
Attorney for Plaintiff
Columbia, S.C.
Dec. 3, 1976
2/18/77

NOTICE
TO: THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the original Summons and Complaint in the above entitled action were filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County, the object and prayer of which is to obtain relief specified in the Complaint.
Craig S. Kelly
Attorney for Plaintiff
Columbia, S.C.
Dec. 3, 1976
2/18/77

SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT
Union Oil Company,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles A. Webster, Jr.,
Defendant.
TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint on the subscriber at his office, 1412 Bull Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service thereof, exclusive of the date of service and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.
Craig S. Kelly
Attorney for Plaintiff
Columbia, S.C.
Dec. 3, 1976
2/18/77

SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT
Cislyn Julianna Kassie,
Plaintiff
-vs-
Dennis Katumal Kassie,
Defendant.
TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint on the subscriber at his office, 1136 Washington Street, Suite 401, Columbia, S.C. 29201, within twenty (20) days after service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.
W. DAVIES MERRY, III
Attorney for Plaintiff
Columbia, S.C.
Dec. 28, 1976
2/18/77

NOTICE
TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

Take notice that the Summons in the above-entitled action, of which the foregoing is a copy, together with the Complaint attached, was duly filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County on the 28th day of December, 1976, the object and prayer of which is to obtain a Decree of Divorce a vinculo matrimonii.
W. DAVIES MERRY, III
Attorney for Plaintiff
2/18/77

NOTICE OF FILING
with
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

This application is filed pursuant to S.C. Code Ann., SS58-1401, et. seq. (1962) as amended.
APPLICATION FOR CLASS E CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
Docket No. 77-34-T
Filed: January 20, 1977
MT 5023
Application of: Thomas M. Neal, Jr. & Benjamin Snipes DBA, Neal's Transport, Rt. 4, Riverside Rd. Lancaster, S.C. 29720
To render motor freight service over irregular routes as follows:
Commodities in general (except any commodities or products in bulk in tank trucks; Classes A and B explosives and Classes A, C and D Poisons as defined under explosives and other dangerous articles in American Trucking Association, Inc., Agent, Tarrif No. 10, MF-ICC No. 11, PSCSC No. 11, supplements thereto or reissues thereof; and household goods and related articles, as defined in Motor Truck Rate Bureau, Agent, Household Goods Tariff, Motor Freight Tariff No. 8-H, SCPSC-MF No. 121, supplements thereto or reissues thereof): Between points and places within a radius of thirty (30) miles of Lancaster, S.C., within South Carolina, and from points and places within a radius of thirty (30) miles of Lancaster, S.C., within South Carolina, to points and places in South Carolina, and from points and places in South Carolina to points and places within a thirty (30) mile radius of Lancaster, S.C., within South Carolina.
Any person desiring to be heard or to respond with reference to this proceeding must, on or before February 28, 1977, file with the undersigned, and provide a copy to the applicant and other parties of record, a protest or a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. Protests filed with the Commission will not serve to make the protestants parties of record to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party of record must file a Petition to Intervene pursuant to the Commission's Rules. A person should attach a statement to his protest or Petition to Intervene stating the number of witnesses to be presented and the approximate time required. All parties of record will be notified of the date and time of hearing.
James H. Still
Executive Director
The Public Service Commission
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Columbia, South Carolina 29211
2/4/77

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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Pearle Harding Schilling, Executrix of the estate of Lewis N. Schilling, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 10th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 10, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mary K. Wessinger, Administratrix CTA of the estate of James C. Kneece, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 10th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 10, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Cebel R. Poole, Executrix of the estate of Wade E. Poole, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 10th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 10, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Robertine Daughtry Moore, Executrix of the estate of James Harold Moore, deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 7, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that R. Earl Sites and Frank E. O'Sheal, Executors of the estate of Forrest Calvin Shealy, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executors; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 5, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lottie T. Brockman, Executrix of the estate of Robert B. Brockman, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 5, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Junior R. Bouknight, Executor of the estate of Sadie C. Bouknight, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Angeleen G. Hunter, Executrix of the estate of E. W. Galloway, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Richardeen Garvin, Administratrix of the estate of Herbert Lee Garvin, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Eugene H. Spearman and John A. Knight, Administrators of the estate of Ella Felicia Spearman, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 24th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lee Sutton, Administrator of the estate of Annie Pearl Williams, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 24th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that May Rhodes Davis, Executrix of the estate of Raymond Enright Davis, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 21, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Robert W. Streeter, Executor of the estate of Lillian E. Streeter, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 21, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Edna H. Carter, Executrix of the estate of Clarence R. Carter, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 21, 1977
2/18

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Margaret J. Johnson has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of George Johnson, Jr., deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 3rd day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ida J. Wright, Administratrix of the estate of Raleigh F. Wright, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ellen Wickwire Mott, Executrix of the estate of Ellen Narey Denny, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 10, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Claudia W. Wilson, Executrix of the estate of B. Coytt Elkins Wilson, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 10th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 10, 1977
2/4

NOTICE OF PENDENDY OF ACTION (LIS PENDENS)

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

Lucius Jefferson,

Plaintiff,

-vs.-

Rebecca Wilson, Emma Stewart, Mary Ann Frazier, Grace Friday, Matthew Jefferson, Isaac Jefferson; and if they be deceased, all heirs at law or devisees of Rebecca Wilson, Emma Stewart, Mary Ann Frazier, Grace Friday, Matthew Jefferson, Isaac Jefferson, their hiers, devisees, executors, administrators, successors or assigns, and all persons entitled to claim under or through them or any of them; also all persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest in or lien upon the real estate described in the Complaint herein, any unknown adults being as a class designated as John Doe and any unknown infants or persons under disability being as a class designated as Richard Roe,

Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the Court of Common Pleas for Richland County upon a Complaint of the above-named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants, filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County on November 17, 1976, wherein and whereby the Plaintiff seeks a confirmation of fee simple title in himself to certain real estate located in Richland County, South Carolina, free and clear of all liens, claims and encumbrances or in the alternative for a partition of said property, which is either owned in fee simple by the Plaintiff or is owned by the Plaintiff and Defendants as tenants in common.

The property which is the subject of this action is situate in the county of Richland, State of South Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Richland, State of South Carolina, containing five (5) acres, more or less, and being designated as tract No. 4 on a plat of property made by B.O. Brooker, Surveyor, February 10, 1908, and being bounded on the North by tract No. 6 and 7 as shown on said plat; on the East by tracts No. 1 and 5 as shown on said plat and lands of Gray; on the South by tracts No. 1 and 5 as shown on said plat; and on the West by tracts No. 1 and 3 as shown on said plat.

Michael Ray Ellisor
Cayce, South Carolina
November 17, 1976

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that C. L. Wilson, Jr., Executor of the estate of Lester L. Wilson, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 6, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Leila Cook Loftis, Executrix of the estate of William A. Loftis, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 6, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Thomas W. Sharpe, Sr., Executor of the estate of Margaret S. Sharpe, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 6, 1977
2/4

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Myron J. Alford and Ethel J. Finley has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Marilyn Johnson Alford deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 2nd day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

2/4

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS James D. Brown has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Samuel Brown deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 8th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

2/4

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Annie Mae Hall has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Henry James Hall deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 8th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

2/4

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Sarah Garrison Diamond, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

John M. Diamond,
Executor
c/o James C. Leventis,
Attorney
901 Barringer Bldg.
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Victor L. McDaniel, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Hazel Mizzell McDaniel,
Executrix
19 Fishers Mill Road
Columbia, S.C. 29206
Columbia, S.C.
January 21, 1977
2/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Dorothy S. Rummans, Executrix of the estate of Fred Sample, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 24th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lee Sutton, Administrator of the estate of Sallie Mae Bright, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 24th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jack D. Grooms, Executor of the estate of Juanita G. Hawkins, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 5, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Naomi C. Devenny, Guardian of the estate of Bonnie K. Hines, Minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 5, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jonathan Pearson, Administrator of the estate of Marion W. Navy, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 6, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Beulah Dean Phillips, Executrix of the estate of James Roy Phillips, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 6, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Russell O. David, Jr., Administrator of the estate of Margaret T. David, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Billy Boyd Thompson, Executor of the estate of Alice Lewis Thompson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 21, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carl J. Frederick, Administrator of the estate of Ethel Lee Hart, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 20, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mattie L. Reed, Executrix of the estate of George H. Reed, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 20, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Willoughby J. Dixon, Executor of the estate of Anne H. Dixon, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 20, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Stella J. Hawkins, Administratrix of the estate of Thomas H. Hawkins, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Gladys W. Green, Guardian of the estate of Sharon Patricia Green, Minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Gladys W. Green, Guardian of the estate of Virginia Marie Green, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 19, 1977
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Legal Notices

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Thomas T. Moore, Administrator of the estate of Oliver S. Woodward, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 24th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Robert Lee Davis, Jr., Administrator of the estate of Janie Barrett Davis aka Janie Barrett, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Barbara Y. Seymour, Administratrix of the estate of Sara B. Youngblood, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Woodrow W. Davis, Executor of the esate of Helen B. Davis, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that T. Olin Bryant and Hazel L. Reynolds, Administrators of the estate of George E. Phillips, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrators; and that the 28th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that John Pope Boineau, Executor of the estate of Katharine Edwards Boineau, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 28th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Joan M. Quick, Administratrix of the estate of Fred L. Quick, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 28th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/25

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Joseph Friday has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Floyd Stanley Durham deceased:
THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 14th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 28th day of January, A.D. 1977,
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
2/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richalnd County
WHEREAS Willie R. Shirah has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Annie Mae Shirah deceased:
THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 9th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of January, A.D. 1977,
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
2/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Edna Mae Butts has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of John Allen Butts deceased:
THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 11th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 27th day of February, A.D. 1977,
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
2/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Dorothy N. Crump has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Ivy P. Herrington, III deceased:
THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 11th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 27th day of January, A.D. 1977,
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
2/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Ida E. Fay has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of John R. Fay deceased:
THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 14th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 28th day of January, A.D. 1977,
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that William H. Moore, Jr., Guardian of the estate of William H. Moore, III, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 28th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 26, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Bernice Doctor Guardian of the estate of Wygeana Doctor, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 25th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Hattie B. Redding, Executrix of the estate of Floyd Redding, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 24th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that George N. Kemp, Testamentary Guardian of the estate of Trust under will of Colette A. Spencer, Deceased, for John N. Kemp, and Joseph Kemp, Minors has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 3rd day of March 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
February 1, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that T. Raymond Permenter, Executor of the estate of Alma Ray Permenter, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 28th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 28, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Ethel Elizabeth Elkin, Executrix of the estate of Heyward Weston Elkin, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 28, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Lucy Shiver, Administratrix of the estate of Peter Shiver, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 2nd day of March 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 31, 1977
2/25

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Bertha M. Hazelwood, Executrix of the estate of Wendell H. Hazelwood, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 2nd day of March 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 31, 1977
2/25

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Gladys Whitlock has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Keith Wayne Whitlock deceased:
THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 16th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 31st day of January, A.D. 1977,
A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Arthur W. Todd, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Verlie C. Todd,
Administratrix
830 South Kilbourne Rd.
Columbia, S.C. 29205
January 31, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Jennifer Lynn Jackson, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Oscar W. Jackson, Jr.,
Administrator
c/o John D. McLeod, Atty.
P.O. Box 263
Winnsboro, S.C. 29180
January 31, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Erin S. Kohn, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
A. Hart Kohn, Jr. and
Hal Kohn, Jr., Executors
c/o A.B. Wise, Attorney
Barringer Building
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Clara Silvernail, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Richard G. Silvernail,
Executor
1103 Fairwood Drive
Columbia, S.C. 29209
Columbia, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of J.W. Jay, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Ida H. Jay, Executrix
c/o S. Rhea Haskell, Atty.
1223 Washington Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Daniel Praete, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Charlotte S. Praete,
Executrix
c/o Isadore S. Bernstein,
Attorney
1019 Assembly Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Arthur J. Collins, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Jennie K. Collins,
Executrix
c/o Thomas d. Broadwater,
Sr., Attorney
1900 Taylor Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Robert l. Sumwalt, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
First National Bank of
South Carolina, Executor
P.O. Box 111
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
January 26, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Gerald H. Preacher, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Frances Parker Preacher,
Executrix
c/o Going & Going, Attys.,
900 SCN 1122 Lady Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 26, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Lemuel R. Johnson, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Margaret W. Johnson,
Executrix
3018 Stepp Drive
Columbia, S.C. 29204
Columbia, S.C.
January 26, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Peter Paul Corley, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Gladys Corley,
Administratrix
c/o Dallas D. Ball, Atty.
1412 Barnwell Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 25, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Forrest Eugene Thrailkill, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Shelton W. Thrailkill,
Administrator
c/o Dalton H. Watkins,
Attorney
1338 Main St., Suite 402
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Irby H. Walker, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Katie R. Walker, Executrix
Route 1
Lugoff, S.C. 29078
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Marie Keels Lucas, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Joseph Keels, Sr., Executor
7333 Sara Drive
Columbia, S.C. 29204
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the etate of Wesley Mangum, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Inez Mangum Elliott,
Administratrix CTA
1304 McDuffie Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of James A. Bright, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Alma R. Bright, Executrix
c/o Ray M. Seigler, Atty.
1735 St. Julian Place
Columbia, S.C. 29204
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of John Everett Bouknight, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Johnny L. Bouknight,
Executor
Route 1, Box 6
Irmo, S.C. 29063
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Marie S. Rush, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
William E. Rush and James
S. Rush, Executors
727 Spring Lake Road
Columbia, S.C. 29206
Columbia, S.C.
January 27, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Mary Brown Richardson, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Isabelle Middleton,
Administratrix
c/o Thomas D. Broadwater
Attorney
1900 Taylor Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 28, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Laura Beatrice Perry Harvey deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
I.P. Stanback and Gladys
Harvey Patterson,
Executors
c/o Mark L. Archer, Atty.
P.O. Box 1792
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
January 28, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Ethel K. Sharpe Blair, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
John L. Sharpe, Jr.,
Executor
c/o Augustus T. Graydon,
Attorney
1225 Washington Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 31, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Paul C. Zweimiller, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.
Donna M. Zweimiller,
Executrix
6604 Eastbrook Drive
Columbia, S.C. 29206
Columbia, S.C.
January 28, 1977
2/18

Legal Notices

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of James Kirby Hines, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Claudia C. Godwin,
Executrix
c/o William H. Townsend,
Attorney
P.O. Drawer 447
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Isaac S. Savitz, Sr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Isaac S. Savitz, Jr.,
Executor
c/o Thomas T. Moore, Atty.
P.O. Box 944
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
January 24, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Judson A. Roof, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ruby V. Roof, Executrix
c/o C. Joseph Roof, Atty.
P.O. Box 1516
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
January 21, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Rhett G. Cooper, Sr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Virginia G. Cooper,
Executrix
c/o Albert J. Dooley, Atty.
218 E. Main Street
Lexington, S.C. 29072
Columbia, S.C.
January 20, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Henry Jackson Pugh, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Essie Scott Pugh,
Administratrix
c/o William C. Ouzts, Atty.
P.O. Box 574
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 20, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Harold Bodie, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Eunice J. Bodie, Executrix
1219 Deerwood Drive
Columbia, S.C. 29205
Columbia, S.C.
January 18, 1977
2/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of R. Preston Wages, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ivey Lewis Wages,
Executor
Route 2, Box 176
Lugoff, S.C. 29078
Columbia, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Barbara Seabrook, Executrix of the estate of Anita Grannis, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Betty E. Roach, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Demetra A. Brown,
Executrix
c/o Stanley G. Freeman,
Attorney
1338 Pickens St.
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/11

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Annie Ruth King has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Daisey Mae Geiger deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 8th day of February 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of January, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Harvey H. Anderson, Executor of the estate of Esther Graham Peyton, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 7, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jacob A. Bowers and Ira H. Kinard, Executors of the estate of Maggie Estelle Dominick, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executors; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 7, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Hal. N. Askins, Administrator CTA DBN of the estate of Alma F. Askins, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 7th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 7, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Charles Peoples, Administrator of the estate of Joseph Peoples, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 19, 1977
2/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Robert Hoke Robinson, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bessie Heyward Robinson,
Executrix
c/o Robinson, McFadden,
Moore & Pope, Attys.
1213 Lady St.
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 17, 1977
2/4

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Olivia Guental Fulmer, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

William O. Fulmer, Administratrix
c/o A. McConnell Faucette, Jr., Attorney
P.O. Drawer 11725
Columbia, S.C. 29211
Columbia, S.C.
January 17, 1977
2/4

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Fred C. Williams, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Janelle S. Williams,
Executrix
2709 Two Notch Road
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 14, 1977
2/4

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of W. Q. Elliott, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bytha Jane Elliott,
Executrix
Rt. 2, Box 315
Elgin, S.C. 29045
Columbia, S.C.
January 14, 1977
2/4

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of James Milton Ariail, Sr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Thomas M. Ariail and Belva H. Ariail
4704 Colonial Drive
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
January 17, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that James W. Rion, Administrator CTA of the estate of LeRoy Snelgrove, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 17th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 17, 1977
2/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that John M. Wagner, Executor of the estate of Margaret M. Wagner, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 17th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 17, 1977
2/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ivon Redmon, Administratrix of the estate of Thomas Thurman Redmon, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 17th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 17, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Dorothy C. Sieling, Administratrix of the estate of August J. Meran, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 17th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 17, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Edward Franklin Kenyon, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Helen W. Kenyon,
Executrix
3513 Bellingham Road
Columbia, S.C. 29203
Columbia, S.C.
January 14, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Arthur L. Wallace, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Pauline Jacobs Wallace,
Administratrix
c/o O. Linwood Perry, Jr.,
Esquire
1925 Gadsden St. Suite 200
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Almina Clayton, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Margaret C. Cullum,
Administratrix, CTA
Rt. 3, Box 399
Leesville, S.C. 29070
Columbia, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Leonard Bruce Mooneyham, Sr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Leonard Bruce Mooneyham, Jr., Administrator
2908 Plymouth Rock Rd.
Columbia, S.C. 29209
Columbia, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Sanders L. Swygert, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

David A. Swygert, Jr.,
Executor
P.O. Box 17
Blythewood, S.C. 29017
Columbia, S.C.
January 12, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Lenice Geiger, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Harriet L. Nelson, Executrix
c/o Jack F. McGuinn, Atty.
1610 Bull Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
January 12, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Marie S. Dreyfus, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

The Citizens and Southern National Bank of South Carolina, Executor
P.O. Box 22213
Columbia, S.C. 29222
Columbia, S.C.
January 12, 1977
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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Ruth Nesbitt Jones, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ralph Jordan Jones,
Executor
505 Hillcrest Avenue
Columbia, S.C. 29203
Columbia, S.C.
January 13, 1977
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SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT

Aaron Robertson, Jr.,
Petitioner,
-vs-
Shirleen H. Robertson,
Respondent.

TO THE RESPONDENT, SHIRLEEN H. ROBERTSON:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to answer the Petition in this action of which a copy was filed in the Richland County Courthouse on the 12th day of January, 1977 and to serve a copy of your Answer on the subscriber at his office at 1332 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina within twenty (20) days after service hereof, exclusive of the day of service; if you fail to answer the Petition within the time aforesaid, the petitioner will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Petition.

JAN S. STRIFLING
Attorney for Petitioner
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NOTICE

TO THE RESPONDENT, SHIRLEEN H. ROBERTSON:

TAKE NOTICE that the Summons in the above mentioned action, of which the foregoing is a copy, together with the Petition was filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland county on the 12th day of January, 1977.

JAN S. STRIFLING
Attorney for Petitioner
Columbia, South Carolina
January 7, 1977
2/4

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT

Alberta Marie Grace,
Petitioner,
-vs-
Willie E. Grace,
Respondent.

TO THE RESPONDENT, WILLIE E. GRACE:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to answer the Petition in this action, which is filed in the Richland County Courthouse, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the Petition on the subscriber at his office, 1225 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days from the service hereof, exclusive of the date of such service; and if you fail to answer the Petition within the time aforesaid, the Petitioner will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Petition.

NOTICE

The original Petition was filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County on the 12 day of January, 1977. The prayer therein is for a divorce.

JAMES L. MANN, II
Attorney for Petitioner
Columbia, South Carolina
January 11, 1977
2/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. R. E. Swindler, Guardian of the estate of Jenny Melissa Smith, Minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 14th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 14, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Charles E. Potts, Executor of the estate of Leila Parris Potts, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 14th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 14, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lamar P. Brown, Administrator of the estate of Raymond F. Schultz, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 14th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 14, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ellie W. Howard, Guardian of the estate of Robert T. Howard, Minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 14th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 12, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth K. Gossett, Executrix of the estate of William David Gossett, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Sarah M. Dawsey, Executrix of the estate of Cyrus B. Dawsey, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Alma Jean Slider, Executrix of the estate of Howard Benjamin Slider, Jr., Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Beverly Wilds Gillespie, Executrix of the estate of William L. Gillespie, Jr., Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
2/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Wallace Roy Stewart, Committee of the estate of Jewell West Stewart, NCM has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Committee; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Arthur E. Bartsch, Executor of the estate of Bertha A. Bartsch, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 11th day of February 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
January 11, 1977
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sports

by Jim Walser

Kraft's road back

As Jack Kraft is talking to the reporter, a fight between two of his players is developing, loudly, behind him. Angry expletives lead to light pushing and shoving as the players posture themselves for the impending shower of fisticuffs. Just as a barrage of punches seems inevitable, an assistant coach steps between the pair.

"Knock it off goddammit," the assistant shouts, while holding the players off one another.

"You get him off my ass, then," responds one of the assailants.

"Forget it," the assistant insists. "If you want to fight, do it out on the court. If you played as aggresively out there as you act in here, maybe we wouldn't have lost tonight." He glares.

All this is taking place inside the Carolina Coliseum, down in the University of Rhode Island dressing room, a little while after the University of South Carolina's Gamecocks finished off the visiting Rams, 64-54, Monday night.

The frustration of the players on a team that has now lost five of its last six games (after winning its first seven in a row) is not surprising to Kraft, and he hardly acknowledges it. His eyebrows raise a little, primarily because he is trying to get his pipe stoked up and roaring again, and he returns to the conversation at hand.

"We just didn't do the things you've got to do to get inside their (USC's) zone," Kraft acknowledges. "We were lethargic in the first half and it's tough playing catch-up on the road. We've got a young team and we get ourselves in a lot of trouble by not coming into games prepared mentally, and by not staying with the things that are given to us in the scouting reports."

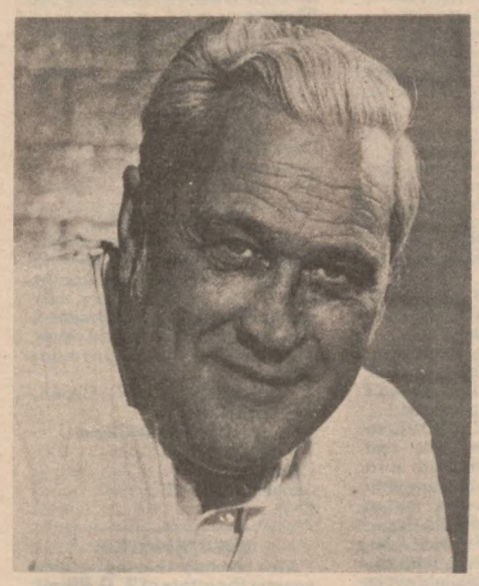
All of this is delivered in a measured, deliberate New England accent, which together with the ever-present, smoldering pipe and rumpled suit, make Kraft seem like something other than an active participant in college basketball, '77-style, where head coaches are fated to leap, shout, bait referees, and whisk around multi-million dollar coliseums in business suits that cost almost as much.

Kraft hardly ever moves during a basketball game as he watches things unfold from the bench. It's his philosophy, one which other coaches should probably investigate, that if his team isn't prepared to win the game when it takes the floor, then no amount of coaching during the game is likely to yield overwhelming benefits. Kraft is from the old school of coaches -- one of the last of a nearly vanished breed, such as Princeton's Pete Carill -- that bases its survival more on technical coaching know-how, X's and O's on a chalkboard, than on high spending and recruiting.

Kraft's *modus operandi* has always led to success. He coached 14 years in prep schools before earning national fame as the understated, likable coach at Villanova University in Philadelphia during the '60s and early '70s. His coaching record before this year was 268-141 and he led Villanova to NCAA playoff berths in '70, '71 and '72. the '71 team, which featured All-American Howard Porter, traveled all the way to the NCAA finals in Houston before losing to a UCLA team that included Sidney Wicks, Curtis Rowe, and Steve Patterson. Eventually, the second place trophy was taken from Villanova because Porter had prematurely signed a pro contract before his college career was completed, but that was the kind of competitive company that Kraft is accustomed to keeping. He was named national coach-of-the-year in '71.

In April of 1973 Kraft decided to move to Rhode Island and build anew. And it hasn't been easy, he acknowledged this week, but it's been interesting. "Winning isn't everything when it comes to coaching. We feel like that next season (his fifth at R.I.) we'll be a winner. It's hard to recruit at a school like Rhode Island because you're never on television and you're just not seen as much by the high school players. The big basketball schools dominate television and therefore they dominate the recruiting."

Nevertheless, Kraft maintains that his patient, insistent coaching will eventually pay off in victories and he doesn't seem to be on the verge of panic, whatever the case. "When I took the job the program had to be built from the ground up," Kraft assessed. "We still lack seniors, we lack leadership. That's why we have the fundamental problems that we have sometimes. But we have a good center (6-9 Irv Chapman, a transfer from Tennessee) who becomes eligible in three games. If we had him tonight (against USC) it would have



Jack Kraft...fighting team

changed things around quite a bit. We couldn't keep (Jim) Graziano off the boards and he killed us with his rebounding. He's going to be a great player. But Chapman is, too. We're playing now with a couple of guys on our roster who don't even have grant-in-aids."

Next year, then, is Kraft's watchword. By the time USC visits Kingston, R.I. a year from now, don't be surprised if the game is a little closer than the one turned out in Carolina Coliseum Monday night.

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Carolina's victory over Rhode Island was played before another small crowd in Carolina Coliseum, and the dropping attendance at home is becoming a sore point for Frank McGuire and the members of his team. There have been no sellouts this season -- even for top-ranked Michigan and highly-ranked Kentucky -- and most of the schedule-filler games like Rhode Island (6,585), and Nebraska (6,132) haven't been supported very well at all.

On his post-game radio interview show Monday night, McGuire mentioned that "this team more than any we've had probably deserves the support of the fans. They've played a rough schedule and now we've got a chance to beat anybody else that we play from here on -- if we perform up to our capabilities."

It's disappointing for the team, of course, when the attendance is low, and the decline in attendance can be traced to one event: the departure of the school from the Atlantic Coast Conference. Both Michigan and Kentucky have teams as good or better than any team in the ACC this season, but they are not traditional names in this state, and are available infrequently on television, the great stimulator of basketball appetites.

McGuire's solution to the attendance problems is to re-establish the old rivalries -- North Carolina, Clemson, Duke, State, Maryland -- as quickly as possible by gaining admission to the Atlantic Coast Conference. McGuire has recently made his feelings known on the subject, but athletic director-football coach Jim Carlen doesn't share McGuire's view.

Even if the team were readmitted to the ACC tomorrow -- and such a move is years off at best -- it would take time for the attendance and enthusiasm surrounding basketball here to return to its pre-1972 levels. Students have by and large ignored the team, for whatever reasons, and consequently, the Coliseum has resembled a morgue during most of this season's games.

Some efforts should be made immediately to get more students to the games. More promotion on campus, easier access to tickets, direct appeals to school loyalty or whatever might help on the one hand.

On the other hand, McGuire might try to play a more wide-open style of ball, file away the zone defense for the rest of the season and put Jackie Gilloon back in the starting lineup to stay, come hell or high water.

"I've always had good guards," said McGuire in reviewing the stat sheet Monday night. "We're getting nothing out of our guards. Maybe I should be like Lefty (Driesell, the Maryland coach) and recruit five or six and let them fight to get in playing time." But a better course would be to let the guards he has learn to play the game -- and that includes making a bushel of mistakes while the education process is underway -- instead of slowing everything to a crawl offensively, and lurking back in a zone on defense. Sure, against certain teams and in certain situations a zone is necessary for Carolina this year, but against Rhode Island?

There aren't many sights that would make good basketball fans stay home and watch "Kojak" or "Bionic Woman," but the thought of seeing more zone defenses and Bill Gause walk the ball upcourt time after time make traveling over to the Coliseum hardly seem worth the trip.

If you don't believe that, look at the attendance figures.

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